THE WEATHER
Forecast for Boston and vicinity: fair tonight and Tuesday; light variable winds.

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FLEET WIPED OUT

RUSSIA IS CRUSHED

In Terrific Naval Battle in Korean Straits

Twelve Ships Sunk or Captured and Japanese Fleet Pursuing the Others—Eight Russian Captains Drowned

TOKIO, MAY 29.—2.15 P. M.—IT IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED THAT ADMIRAL ROJESTVENSKY'S FLEET HAS BEEN PRACTICALLY ANNIHILATED. TWELVE WARSHIPS HAVE BEEN SUNK OR CAPTURED, AND TWO TRANSPORTS AND TWO TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYERS HAVE BEEN SUNK.

EIGHT CAPTAINS WERE DROWNED

LONDON, May 29.—A dispatch to the London Evening News from Tokio says eight captains of Russian warships were drowned during the naval battle of Saturday in the straits of Korea.

HEAVY LOSSES OF THE RUSSIANS

TOKIO, May 29.—2.0 p. m.—In the battle fought Saturday in the straits of Korea the Russian battleships Borodino and Alexander III, the armored cruisers Admiral Nakhimoff, Dimitri Donskoi and Vladimir Monomach, the coast defence iron clad Admiral Oushakoff, the protected cruisers Svietlana and Jemtchung, the repair ship Kamtchatka and the cruiser Irtessim were sunk.

The battleships Orel and Nicholas I and the defence iron clads Admiral Senlavin and General Admiral Apraxine were captured.

JAPS CHASING THE RUSSIANS

LONDON, May 29.—12.35 p. m. Up to noon today the foreign office was still without news of the naval battle from any British source in the far east. The Japanese legation was similarly without news from its government.

Reports are current on the stock exchange purporting to be from authoritative private sources to the effect that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's flagship, the Kniaz Souvaroff, was among the vessels sunk and that the Japanese are following up the Russians and picking off their ships one by one.

Operators on the stock exchange were cheerful over the far eastern news hoping that the battle might prove decisive and lead to peace. Consols went up 5-16 and Japanese bonds rose from 2 to 3½ points. In Russians no business was transacted. Nominally prices were unchanged.

Americans were 1 to 1½ points over parity. Orders from Paris forced the prices higher.

The failure was announced of the Economic bank on Bishops' Gate street a small concern of no importance whatever.

JAPS CAPTURED 2000 PRISONERS

WASHINGTON, May 29.—An official telegram from Tokio states that Admiral Togo reports to his government that the total losses sustained by the Russian fleet Saturday and Sunday were: Two battleships, one coast defence armor clad, five cruisers, two special service ships and three destroyers—all sunk. In addition, there were captured two battleships, two coast defence armor clads; one special ship, one destroyer and over 2000 prisoners. Admiral Togo adds that the Japanese squadron was undamaged.

OFFICIAL NEWS OF THE BATTLE

WASHINGTON, May 29—Official announcement of the result of the naval engagement between the Japanese and Russian fleets was received at the state department today in the following cablegram from Minister Griscom, dated Tokio, May 29:

"Admiral Togo has informed his government concerning the fight which took place on Saturday afternoon and Saturday evening. According to his report the Japanese fleet under his command destroyed and sunk one battleship of the Borodino class and four other large Russian war vessels. Two or three more were captured. None of the large Japanese men or war received serious injury.

"The battle was still in progress on Sunday. A great Japanese victory is announced here as the general result of the engagement but few details have been received."

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IN POLICE COURT

Several Fines Imposed and Many Drunks

In police court today James F. Regan, a young man, who was charged with assault and battery and drunkenness, it being alleged that he assaulted a man named Cyrus Chase, who was also before the court for drunkenness.

Regan pleaded not guilty at first, but when three or four officers were sworn he changed his plea to guilty. Sergt. Connors told the court that about 6.20 o'clock on Saturday night he saw Regan and Chase in front of Cook, Taylor & Co.'s dry goods store.

He saw Regan push Chase and when the latter went towards Regan the latter punched Chase and knocked him down and out.

Regan when placed on the stand informed the court that Chase was trying to get money out of him and he struck him.

He was fined 10 for assault and the case of drunkenness was placed on file.

STOLE FLOWERS.

George Akasins, charged with taking flowers growing on a shrub on Fort Hill park pleaded not guilty through an interpreter.

John Meehan, a special police officer of the park, testified to seeing him picking lilacs, and that when he gave chase Akasins dropped them and ran.

Eugene McCann, another employe of the park, stated that when he heard Meehan shouting at him to head off the group of fellows who were running he started after them and saw the defendant in the act of pulling some lilacs from a tree.

Akasins stated that he got the flowers in a field and not in the park, but the court considered his story very weak and fined him $10.

JOHN J. FOX IN AGAIN.

John J. Fox, better known as "Jackie" Fox, lead the police a lively chase this morning after he had stolen a small skull cap from the store of Joseph Steinberg in Middlesex street. Fox was captured at the corner of Gorham and Winter streets by about half a dozen people who had chased him a number of blocks. Fox put up a desperate battle with his pursuers and knocked several of them out, but they held on to him and when he was turned over to the police officers he was minus the greater part of his clothing.

It seems that shortly before ten o'clock this morning Fox was passing the store of Steinberg in Middlesex street and seeing some skull caps in sight, laid hold of one. He started to walk leisurely down the street, but some people who saw him take the cap notified the proprietor and the latter with several other people gave chase to "Jackie."

Fox shot through one of the side streets to Jackson and then went through Elliot to Davis to the corner of Winter and Gorham streets where about half a dozen people grabbed him, including Steinberg who was badly kicked while trying to hold on to Fox. James F. McGregor who is proprietor of the Quincy house, was one of the men who grabbed Fox also and he received several kicks in the stomach which came near laying him out, while other people who grabbed Fox were treated to punches in the face and head.

Fox was fighting like a tiger with his assailants when Lieut. Webster and Officer Grinnell appeared on the scene and placed him under arrest.

He was a sorry looking spectacle when he reached the police station, however, for his clothing was torn from head to foot and he was badly bespattered with mud.

Fox is about 20 years of age and is well known to the police, having quite a long record.

John J. Luke and Mathew J. Riordan, who were recently sentenced to 14 days in jail and appealed were in court this morning to withdraw their appeal.

The cases of James Hancock, Michael Kelley and Richard J. Grant, charged with drunkenness, who figured in the accident in Bridge street, a week ago Saturday night, were continued, owing to the fact that the men were not in condition to appear, their injuries having been more serious than at first supposed. The cases were continued until June 9.

John Fleming a fourth offender, was sentenced to six months at the Concord reformatory, the suspended sentence being revoked.

Edward Jackson, a second offender, was taxed $6.

Patrick J. Carney, a third offender was sentenced to the common jail for four months, while Eugene Boucher received a similar sentence.

Frank Hallowood, who made his sixteenth appearance before the court, it being his third within a year, was sentenced to the common jail for six months. He appealed and was held in $200 bonds for the superior court.

LIQUOR CASE.

Edw. Connors of Dunstable, charged with keeping and exposing liquors for sale, had his case continued until Saturday morning, bonds being placed at $100.

THE ATLANTIC LED

In the Race for the Kaiser's Cup

LONDON, May 29.—10.47 a. m.—Barring accidents, the American three-masted schooner yacht Atlantic, owned by Wilson Marshall, New York Yacht club, is winner of the kaiser's cup.

She passed abeam of Sielly Island at 9.57 o'clock this morning.

When sighted, the Atlantic was making good progress toward the Lizard, where the race ends. There was a light southwest wind and a smooth sea.

The Atlantic created a yachting record, by crossing from the United States in 12 days.

No other yachts have been sighted.

If the breeze holds good the Atlantic should reach the finish line about 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The distance between the Sielly islands and the Lizard, the finish of the race, is about 48 miles. The Atlantic presuming she is making about eight knots an hour should cross the finish line at about 4 p. m., or 11a. m., New York time.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.

SOUVENIR NIGHT

OF THE STOCK COMPANY AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

Despite the hot weather and innumerable counter attractions, the Huntington-De Deyn stock company is drawing large crowds to the opera house. The attractions offered by this company are far beyond the average and the success that the company is enjoying is well merited. "When We Were Twenty-one" is the title of the piece to be presentd this evening. Friday night will be souvenir night. It will mark the 100th performance of the Huntington-De Deyn stock company in Lowell.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.

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CELEBRATION IS ON

Chelmsford's 250th Anniversary Observance Opened

Nearly Two Thousand Persons Attended Union Services in the Large Tent—Special Services Held in All the Churches — Notes of the Celebration

Nature beamed on staid old Chelmsford town, yesterday and the 250th anniversary observance was most successfully set under way.

The residents of the town were up with the dawn and were greeted by a cloudless sky and indications of an ideal day. When the first car arrived at the Centre early in the morning the first visitors arrived and they continued to come on each succeeding car while others came in conveyances and even on foot. They came from Lowell, Westford, Tewksbury, Billerica and from afar and they comprised the greatest, happiest gathering of visitors that Chelmsford has ever seen.

Every home in the town held at least one guest while in some crowded quarters were gladly put up with and a lavish hospitality was exhibited on all sides.

With the Plymouth settlement only 25 years old when the first settlers of Chelmsford began the work of transforming the wilderness into the beautiful and peaceful village that now looks back with honest pride upon the achievements of its forbears, it is needless to state that the first settlers were among those who sought freedom of worship in the wilderness of this continent in preference to religious persecution at home. Thus it was eminently fitting that the 250th celebration should be formally opened with a grand union service, participated in by the six creeds represented in the town, Baptists, Catholics, Congregationalists, Episcopalians, Methodists and Unitarians.

The services were held in a mammoth tent erected in a roomy field next to the Central Congregational church.

The seating capacity of the tent is 2000, and there were 1700 persons present. The sides of the tent were up and a cool breeze coursed through the interior.

On a raised platform on the east side a chorus of 100 voices occupied seats and under the talented direction of Mr. Hubert Bource furnished music for the meeting. The voluntary was the "Gloria" from Haydn's 12th mass and it was a most inspiring chorus.

Rev. C. H. Ellis, pastor of the Central Baptist church gave the invocation and the hymn was read by Rev. Joseph Aubrey Chase of Brooklyn, formerly a Chelmsford pastor. In response the audience was led by Rev. C. W. Williams of the First Baptist church South Chelmsford.

Buck's "Festival Anthem" was sung by the chorus, followed by the scriptural reading by Rev. Wilson Waters, pastor of the Centre Episcopal (All Saints) church. He read the first eight verses of the 4th Psalm, also parts of chapter 8 of the Prophet Zachariah. The prayer was made by Rev. A. F. Earnshaw, pastor of the Central Congregational church. The response, "Keep My Commandments," was given by the ladies' quartet.

J. ADAMS BARTLETT, CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE.

Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, D. D., of Boston, was the speaker of the occasion, and he was introduced by Rev. D. A. Hudson of the Second Congregational church who said in part:

"As we turn back the pages of history, we find that the people first came here for religious reason. For 100 years there was only one church organization in this town, only one place of worship. If our ancestors who are dead could come back 250 years and witness this sight it would be a scene of intense gratification to find so magnificent an audience in religious gathering.

"When the town was incorporated in 1655, the glory was great in the forests which must have been magnificent in that day. But that glory was not developed. It remained to be developed. One of the first to work in the wilderness was Eliot, the missionary among the Indians. He had something immensely important to the early town.

"It is significant then, that the first meeting of the people of this celebration should be religious. It is also significant that the speaker of the day is an Eliot."

DR. ELIOT'S ADDRESS.

Rev. Dr. Eliot spoke in part as follows:

"Words pass as wind, but where great deeds were done
A power abides transfused from sire to son."

So sings the great poet of New England. We are here to seek the secret of that power and to enter into its prophetic strength.

This celebration is not instituted merely to nourish local pride or to make complaisant record of the deeds of our forefathers. We want to lift up the clear light of past experience that it may shine not only on the road already travelled, but also on paths as yet untrod. In recalling the aims and achievements of the forefathers we learn what manner of people we should be.

Were such celebrations a matter of mere ceremonial observance their multiplication would be idle and oppressive. But they are no lifeless and formal events, but replete with significance. They furnish the occasion for just tributes to the memory of brave men and women and for the enlargement of our knowledge of the historic and romantic associations of familiar scenes. They remind us that there is something worthy of commemoration in the history of New England, and they upbuild an enlightened patriotism.

Local history is the root of national history. Our national history has indeed its own wonderful and widespread pattern and design which can be seen and appreciated only when set before us upon an ample scale, but the detail of the pattern and the individual threads of the fabric, are to be found in local, family, village history. There are the dyes that give color to the story. There are the touches of reality that give human interest to the record. The warp and woof of history are in the daily doings of average people, in the loves and courtships and married devotion that we can read between the lines of every family genealogy, in the hardy industry that cleared the forests and built the stone walls, and dug wells and laid out roads and raised dwellings, in the eager cravings that founded schools and churches. Therefore it is that we can best trace the record of the nation that we love, and enter into the secrets of her

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TOGO IS LOST

Japanese Admiral Has Concealed His Movements

Advices from various sources today point to the probability of an early battle between the Russian and Japanese fleets. The Tokio dispatches reporting the presence of Russian warships off Tsu Island in the straits of Korea indicate that the Russian admiral has divided his fleet, as authentic dispatches to the Associated Press confirmed by advices received in Washington show that some Russian vessels are still near Shanghai. It is probable that Rojestvensky has detached his auxiliaries, supply vessels, unarmored ships and others unfit for battle and proceeded northward with his main fighting force. Whether it is his intention to force Togo to accept battle or whether his object is to reach Vladivostock the dispatches do not make clear. Togo's whereabouts is not known.

JAPS REPORT LITTLE FIGHTING

TOKIO, May 27, 1.45 p. m.—Imperial army headquarters made the following announcement today:

"On May 25 our cavalry in driving a body of Russian cavalry northeastward, occupied Hsumienchong, 18 miles north of Changtu. Otherwise with the exception of small collisions between detached parties on both sides, the situation is unchanged."

RUSSIAN FLEET OF 45 VESSELS

HONG KONG, May 27.—The British steamer St. Kilda, which arrived here today from Kuchinotsu, Japan, reports having sighted early in the morning of Wednesday, May 24, forty-five Russian vessels, including battleships, cruisers, torpedo boat destroyers, colliers, hospital ship and tugs, 140 miles south southeast of the Saddle Islands. The Russians were stationary when first sighted and most of the colliers were half empty. Subsequently the Russian vessels steamed away, heading in a north northwesterly direction.

The Saddle Islands are a group of 25 small islands situated about 60 miles southeast of Shanghai.

BIG BATTLE PROBABLY FOUGHT

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Private advices received here of an entirely authentic nature report more than 21 Russian vessels including three battleships and three cruisers off Saddle Islands which is 60 or 70 miles southeast of Shanghai. Additional information reports that it is rumored a naval engagement has taken place.

GREAT JOY IN RUSSIA

ST. PETERSBURG, May 27, 3.45 p. m.—There was great rejoicing here on receipt of the Associated Press dispatch from Tokio announcing that Admiral Rojestvensky had been sighted off the Tsu Islands, Straits of Korea. Many people believed Rojestvensky has already met and defeated Admiral Togo while others hold that he has eluded the Japanese admiral and that it will now be a stern chase for Vladivostok. The fact that today is a general holiday, the anniversary of the emperor's coronation, is considered a happy augury. The city which is gaily decorated is full of rumors of a Russian victory.

FLEET SIGHTED OFF TSU ISLANDS

TOKIO, May 27.—4.30 p. m. Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet has been sighted off Tsu Islands, in the Strait of Korea.

Tsu Island or the Tsu Islands, are situated in the centre of the Straits of Korea. It is only at high water that Tsu becomes a double island, a deep sound then dividing it into two parts. North and west of Tsu islands is the western channel, 25 to 34 miles wide, separating them from Korea. South and east of the Tsu islands is the eastern channel, 25 miles wide at its narrowest part, separting them from the Japanese islands off the mainland of Japan.

The Tsu islands are about 27 miles in length and possess a large sound containing a number of small harbors, as well as several smaller sounds and bays.

At the outbreak of the war between Japan and China in 1894 it was understood that the Japanese had established a strong naval base at the Tsu islands and that they had been fortified.

The sighting of Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet off the Tsu islands would seem to indicate that the Russian commander has determined to take the boldest course and, instead of skirting Japan and entering the sea of Japan by Tsugaru or Laperouse straits, to push directly through the straits of Korea and try to reach Vladivostok, which is about 640 miles from the Tsu islands. That he will be able to do so without at least being harrassed by the Japanese seems improbable and the report circulated at Tokio today that the two fleets have engaged in the Straits of Korea may turn out to be correct. There is the possibility of course, that Rojestvensky may have so far deceived Admiral Togo that the latter is still at the base he established in the north of the Island of Formosa in which case a general engagement may not take place before the Russians reach Vladivostok. It is also possible that the Russian vessels sighted in the Straits of Korea only form a portion of the Russian fleet.

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AN EXPLOSION

No Damage Done to New Bridge

NEW YORK, May 27.—A mysterious explosion of dynamite which blew out the windows of a pile driver near the new Pennsylvania railroad bridge over the Hackensack river in Jersey City early today was at first reported to the police as having destroyed the bridge; but was ascertained later to have done no damage to the structure. Two watchmen and three Pennsylvania railroad detectives, who were on guard, saw the flash of the explosion but could neither find any suspicious person in the vicinity nor discover what had exploded nor how it reached the bridge.

MILTON PALMER DEAD.

CHICAGO, May 27.—Milton J. Palmer is dead at his residence here, aged 81 years. He was a brother of the late Porter Palmer, and for many years was his partner in the dry goods business. After the great fire he confined his attention to the management of his real estate.

NEW SYSTEM

ADOPTED BY THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 27—The Illinois Central railroad has begun to install an electric interlocking device on 600 miles of the main track and plans to extend it over the entire system as soon as possible.

The device consists of an electrical arrangement in each tower, which prevents the operator from changing his own signals until the man in the next station releases the lock. Under the ordinary block system the movement of trains has been controlled by one signal man at a time.

TEST LAW

STOCK EXCHANGE WILL NOT RESORT TO SUBTERFUGE.

NEW YORK, May 27—There is every indication that the movement to organize trading in stock exchange securities in New Jersey in order to avoid the New York state transfer tax effective June 2 will be indefinitely postponed. Neither the New York stock exchange nor the Consolidated Exchange management will resort to any subterfuge but it is understood will at once take steps to test the law's validity.

The Consolidated Exchange managers have retained lawyers to take immediately legal action, possibly in the form of an injunction. Only 65 members of the Consolidated have so far signified their intention of joining the New Jersey Exchange, and the project is likely to be held in abeyance.

MANY PUPILS

REPORTED SUFFERING FROM DEFECTS BY HEALTH INSPECTORS.

NEW YORK, May 27—Physical examination of school children in the primary grades made by inspectors for the board of health have produced statistics showing that more than fifty per cent. of the pupils are suffering from defects. The work of examining them is not yet finished. According to the commissioner of health, this condition is not so alarming as the figures seem to indicate, because a majority of the ailments are of a minor character.

The largest figures for any complaint were those of defective vision, but the records for bad nutrition, pulmonary and heart ailments were much greater than the experts believed they should be. Methods are being employed by the department to extend aid and suggestions to the parents wherever possible.

BODY FOUND

JOHN O'TOOLE WALKED INTO LAKE QUINSIGAMOND.

WORCESTER, May 27—The body of John O'Toole, 65 years old, of Clinton was found in Lake Quinsigamond today. A few feet away from the water front the drowned man's clothing was found showing that he had stripped and deliberately walked into the water. O'Toole leaves a wife and six children in destitute circumstances.

ON FIRE

BLAZE IN CABIN SECTION OF THE MAJESTIC.

LIVERPOOL, May 27.—Fire from an unknown origin broke out today in the second cabin section of the White Star line steamer Majestic, which arrived at Liverpool, May 25 from New York, while lying at her dock here. Considerable damage was done to the cabins before the flames were extinguished.

FROM SATURDAY'S LATE EDITION

SHE WAS BUNCOED

Chapel Street Woman Says She Lost $610

A man calling himself Prof. Parkhurst came to Lowell a few weeks ago and located at 52 Tyler street. The way he piled up the long green was a caution and after remaining in Lowell about three weeks he left town with a roll that would strangle a camel.

He was a fakir from way back and he had the fakir's faculty of making the majority of women with whom he came in contact believe that the moon was made of green cheese. Some of his dupes were poor girls who worked hard in the mills.

He told a very fascinating story about himself and the wonderful foresight and prophetic tendency with which he was endowed. "Please don't mention it," he would say to his deluded ones, "I am the son of Dr. Parkhurst of New York and if he knew I was exerting my supernatural power in this way, he would disown me." Needless to say he was not a son of Dr. Parkhurst but a dyed-in-the-wool fakir with a game so simple as to make ashamed the simplest of those who "bit."

He declared that he was positively a master of minds and souls where existed the smallest spark of affiliation. If the poor dear girl had lost her sweetheart he could win him for her by mental magnetism. "Do not worry," he would say to the girl whose lover had forsaken her for another, "I will return him to you and he will be more devoted than ever before."

He was a trance medium and Mrs. Rebecca Hillman of 75 Chapel street would like to know the dear professor's present address. She has reported to the police that the dear professor relieved her of $610 last Wednesday evening ,assuring her that he would mesmerize it into exerting an influence over a person from whom she wished to hear. Despite the fact that it was all the money she had in the world Mrs. Hillman is light-hearted enough to sit down and laugh at the story in which she played the part of the "easy mark."

Last week Mrs. Hillman called on the man whose ways were dark and tricks were vain and he told her that if she would produce $200 there would be something doing along the mental telepathy line between herself and the person with whom she wished to communicate.

He said he would hypnotize the money and that it would work as a go-between. He gave Mrs. Hillman a little song and dance about the various ways in which money could be used as a power. Mrs. Hillman went her way and she really thought that she was getting nearer, mentally, to the person foremost in her mind, but she could not get near enough to satisfy herself that the professor was the real thing.

She went back the next day and explained things to the professor. He passed his long big-veined fingers through his wealth of "patent medicine" hair and after brushing the cobwebs from a Prince Albert that had seen better days remarked that the amount offered on the altar of the occult was not sufficient and that a greater amount would be necessary in order to bring about the desired effect. "If you will make it $400," he said, "I think that the proper spirits will move."

Mrs. Hillman had received back her $200 all right and did not believe there was any occasion for alarm so far as the money was concerned and she went away with the understanding that she would return with twice $200 the next day. The professor, with all the earnestness and peculiar movements that went with his business, proceeded to hypnotize the $400 roll, and after he had filled it with all sorts of mental distracting bombs it was handed back to Mrs. Hillman. She went her way confident in the belief that she would, within a few hours from that time, be put in almost direct communication with her friend of long ago.

The process, however, didn't seem to work and on Wednesday she returned again to the professor. He welcomed her most cordially and assured her that he knew she had been a little bit disappointed. He went on to explain that he knew she was disappointed because of experiences he had had since he last saw her. He told her the amount was not great enough to exert the influence necessary to bring about the desired results and he asked her if she could increase the amount.

She told him she could make the amount about $200 greater and he told her to do so. She went away and returned a little later with $610. The professor assured her that he would bring her almost face to face with the friend whom she sought and with a few extra stunts, he proceeded to put the money in working operation. After he had gone through a series of motions he handed Mrs. Hillman an envelope supposed to contain the $610 and warned her not to open the envelope for at least two days. She assured him that the instructions would be carried out to the letter and went her way.

At the expiration of the two days she opened the letter and found it contained common ordinary paper. It was a terrible shock to her but she hustled to the office in Tyler street and much to her chagrin, found that the professor had pulled up stakes and gone to other fields. Wearily and sorrowfully she wended her way to the police station and told her sad story to the inspectors. The professor as described by Mrs. Hillman is about 28 years of age, five feet four or five inches in height and smoothly shaven. She says he was fairly well dressed.

G. A. R. MEMBERS

Will Decorate Elizabeth Robbin's Grave

The following letter, which is self-explanatory, was received by Mr. Frank Peabody, secretary of Memorial day committee, yesterday:

Lowell, Mass., May 26, 1905.

Mr. Frank Peabody, Secretary Memorial Day Committee, Lowell, Mass.,

My Dear Mr. Peabody:—I would respectfully suggest the feasibility of the Lowell members of the Grand Army of the Republic recognizing on Memorial day the great service rendered by Elizabeth Olive Robbins to the soldiers of the Civil war.

In 1862 the United States sanitary commission was organized to alleviate the suffering and distress of the federal soldiers and sailors confined in the various hospitals. This commission was without funds to prosecute the work planned for it to do. Lowell was the first city, through activity of Elizabeth Robbins, to aid substantially the work of the commission. A fair was held and a good sum realized. The plan as adopted in this city was followed in every Union state, and as a result many thousands of dollars were in this way placed at the disposal of the commission.

It would seem appropriate that the patriotic service rendered by Elizabeth Robbins should be recognized by a decoration of her grave at the Lowell cemetery each Memorial day by the Grand Army post visiting the cemetery, or by the Women's Relief corps.

I present this letter only in the form of a suggestion, feeling that it will be given proper consideration by your committee.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES B. CASEY,
Mayor.

SOMETHING DOING

Validity of Mayor's Veto to be Proven

It was reported at the city hall this morning that action of a lively nature and having to do with the redistricting order was soon to take place.

It will be remembered that City Solicitor Hill gave as his opinion that the mayor's veto of the redistricting order was invalid and he is still of that opinion.

Other lawyers, men of wide experience, claim that the veto was valid and that it holds good. Mayor Casey is satisfied that the reasons given for his veto action were all that the law required and the matter will be fought out in the courts.

All the details of the case were forwarded to the secretary of state by City Clerk Dadman, but the secretary of state has not communicated with the city clerk concerning the case. Mayor Casey was not disposed to discuss the case this forenoon, but gentle rumor had it that there would be something doing next week.

MAINE MAN LOST

Robbed in Bridge St. Boarding House

Three young women were sent to the police station this morning by Officer Ryan and it is said that they are suspected of robbing a man of $65. The police decline to say anything about the affair but from an outsider it was learned that some time yesterday a man from Maine came to town and was looking for sport. He struck up with two fellows who are said to be friends of the young women who were sent to the station and they escorted him to a few saloons where they had refreshments. The men saw that their friend had a roll and they thought it looked inviting.

Towards evening the Maine man was feeling pretty good and then they took him to a boarding house in Bridge street and presented him to one of their young lady friends. The two passed the night in the boarding house and this morning when the man from Maine woke up his companion had just left the place and his money, amounting to $65, was gone. He followed her to the street where she was joined by two other "girls" and the three started for Centralville. The man who gave the story to a reporter of The Sun, said that the victim of the alleged robbery informed Officer Ryan of the affair and the latter caught up with the three women and invited them to accompany him to the station. It is not known whether the police found any of the money on them. The woman who was accused said that she belonged in Springfield and she is married. The others probably came here from Boston with the two men who had played the "good Samaritan" for the Maine man during the afternoon.

ROBBED OF $65

Lowell Man's Luck in New Haven

Inspector Donnelly of the New Haven, Conn., police force came to Lowell on Wednesday and assisted by Inspector Martin Maher located John Shanahan of Market street, who is wanted as the complainant in a robbery case in that city.

It seems that Shanahan went to New Haven not long ago in search of employment and getting in with four tahugs was robbed of $65, all the money he had. He made a complaint and two of the party were captured. The case was continued until today in hope of getting the other two men.

After the case, it is said, friends of the men under arrest, prevailed upon Shanahan to get out of the way and not appear at the trial. Upon learning that he had left town Inspector Donnelly, was detailed to look him up and he traced him to this city. Shanahan made no objection to returning to New Haven and he appeared in court today.

MAYOR'S PULL

Disconcerts an Avaricious Alderman

About 250 men are employed on sewer work in Lowell at the present time and an alderman, who has had many calls from his constituents for opportunities to labor, declares that the best he could do was to place one man on the sewers. This particular alderman has had a great deal to say about "chances to put men to work" and gave as his opinion today that the mayor had placed more men in the street and sewer departments than had all the aldermen and councilmen combined. The only consolation the kicking aldermen received from the clerk of the street department was contained in the following words: "There are men who would kick if they were hanging."

City Messenger, Joseph Pattee, today, mailed to members of the city council invitations to review the Memorial Day parade at city hall. The Spanish War veterans will pass in review at 9 a. m., and the Grand Army veterans at 4 p. m. This means another date to be added to Mayor Casey's long list.

The executive committee of the Y. W. C. A. has invited Mayor Casey to attend the dedication of the association's new building in John street on the afternoon of Wednesday, June 7. The mayor will extend the city's congratulations to the association.

His honor has also received an invitation to attend the twelfth annual banquet of the Catholic Literary Union of Charlestown on Friday evening, June 16.

DEATHS

KIMBALL—Charles A. Kimball, brother of Leroy S. Kimball of this city died Thursday in New York. Mr. Kimball was formerly very prominent in this city. He was at one time a member of the council and served as city librarian. The complete facts about his death are not known as yet, the only announcement received being a telegram to Leroy S. Kimball.

SWANWICK—Gladys A., child of John W. and Bertha A. Swanwick, died at the home of her parents, 14 Bleachery street, last evening, aged one year, one month and nine days.

KILKENNY—Mrs. Mary Kilkenny, widow of the late Patrick Kilkenny, died at her home, 79 Charles street, last evening, aged 47 years. She leaves a son, John, and a daughter Hannah.

SOPER—Mrs. Mary T. Soper, whose maiden name was Miss Mary T. McCoy, died at her home, 206 Middlesex street, last evening, aged 33 years. Besides her husband, Edward E. Soper, she leaves a father, William McCoy.

BARDEN—James Barden, aged 47 years, died this morning at his home, 8 Madison street. He is survived by a wife and four daughters, the Misses Susan, Hannah, Mary E. and Catherine V. Barden.

FUNERALS

GLENNON—The funeral of Richard Glennon took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Co. The burial was in the family lot at St. Patrick's cemetery.

POLICE OFFICER

EXCEEDED HIS AUTHORITY IN MAKING ARREST.

BOSTON, May 27—The case of Edward F. Clune against police officer James M. O'Sullivan was heard before Judge Sullivan in the municipal court yesterday afternoon. Clune was represented by Henry S. Dewey; John F. Perkins, attorney for the police board, appeared for O'Sullivan.

On July 10 O'Sullivan arrested Clune on a charge of intoxication, but when the case was brought before Judge Fallon in the South Boston court his honor was satisfied that Clune was not under the influence of liquor when arrested. It was so clear to the court that the officer had exceeded his authority in making the arrest that he said if an application was made to him for a warrant for the arrest of the officer he would grant it. The application was made, the warrant was granted and the case went to the superior court, where the jury disagreed. A civil suit for damages was then brought against the officer and Judge Dewey was called upon to prosecute the case.

Of the 29 witnesses who were crowded into the small hearing room yesterday afternoon 16 were for Clune. They asserted that he was not intoxicated when he was arrested by O'Sullivan and said that the arrest was unjustifiable.

On the other hand several officers said that Clune staggered when he was at the station.

Judge Sullivan called attention to the fact that 20 persons were present at the time of the arrest, but of all these the officer had not brought a single one to corroborate his statement. His evidence could not be given precedence over that of uninterested persons who were there. The court thought it was not surprising that Clune staggered while at the station house, since that was after he had been struck with the officer's stick.

The court held that there was an unnecessary arrest. He said that if he was to find that Clune was drunk at the time he should also find that unnecessary violence was used. He thought a police officer should be very careful about using a club.

Judge Sullivan said he would take the matter of damage under consideration.

BIG DINNER

PILGRIMS WILL WELCOME AMBASSADOR CHOATE.

NEW YORK, May 27.—A dinner to welcome Ambassador Joseph H. Choate on his return from London has been arranged by the Pilgrims of the United States. President Roosevelt and his cabinet officers have been invited and many other public men are expected as guests.

SCORE INJURED

Electric Car Left the Rails

RAN INTO SAND EMBANKMENT

G. A. R. Veterans Were on Way Home

ATTLEBORO, May 29—An electric car on the Attleboro and Pawtucket branch of the Interstate Consolidated street railway, carrying members of William A. Streeter, G. A. R. post, and the Women's relief corps to this town from a memorial service at the Methodist church of Hebronville shortly after noon yesterday, jumped the track on South Main street, between Thacher and Locust streets, and was brought to a stop by a sand bank and stone wall about 50 feet from where it left the track.

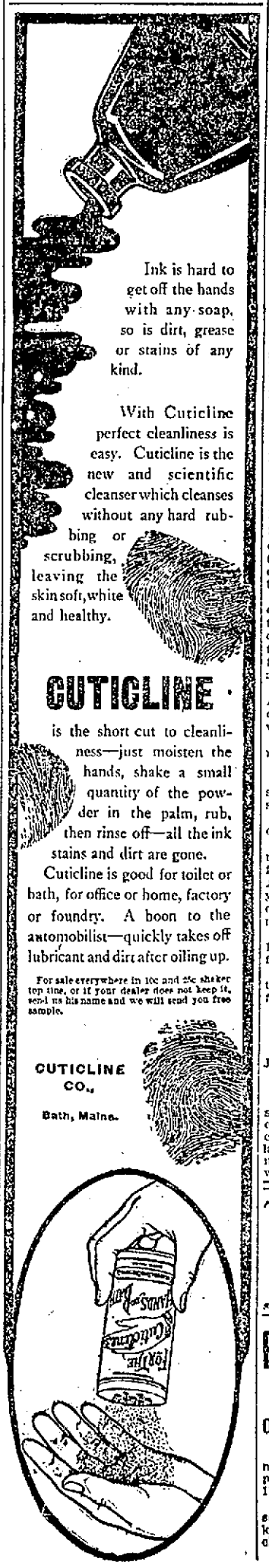
The car was moving at reduced speed on a slight down grade when the accident happened, but the momentum and impact were sufficient to throw the passengers about and from the car, several of them being badly injured and all more or less shaken up. There were 42 passengers on the car, in addition to motorman Thomas Dubuque and conductor Charles Evans, both of whom escaped injury. All of the injured live in Attleboro.

No reason can be attributed for the accident. At this point the tracks are almost straight for a long distance. The car was only slightly damaged.

A wrecking car and crew were hurried from Pawtucket and traffic resumed after a block of about two hours.

MAN IDENTIFIED.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The body of the man which was found in the North river on May 26 and on which was the sum of $1000, was identified yesterday as that of Thomas Roach, a young farmer of Greenwich, Washington, N. Y. He had been missing from home since April 22.



BOTH WERE DEAD

Mother and Child Were Struck by Train

NEW LONDON, May 29.—The body of Mrs. Selina Clark, aged 29, and that of her daughter Rose, aged 5 years, were found yesterday beside the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at Midway. It is supposed that they were struck and killed by the Merchants limited express Saturday night as a woman's hat is said to have been found on the pilot of the engine of that train at Providence. Mrs. Clark was a resident of Midway.

NEW ROAD

WILL BE CAPITALIZED AT $7,500,000.

NEW YORK, May 29.—A company which will be known as the Virginia and Carolina Railroad company will be incorporated within a few days with a capitalization of $7,500,000 for the purpose of constructing a railroad 200 miles long from Norfolk, Va., to Beaufort, N. C., and acquiring valuable lumber properties along the route.

Interested in the project are J. T. Odell of Pittsburg, vice-president and general manager of the Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad and chairman of the transportation committee of the United States Steel company; Rudolph Kleybolte & Co., New York bankers; Oakleigh Thorne, president of the Trust company of America and a director of the Seaboard Air Line; the law firm of Godkin & Chadbourne, New York, and F. E. Dewey, formerly manager of the Detroit and Lima Northern railway.

The Pittsburg parties interested have been connected with many iron and coal properties, but not identified in any way with lumber companies.

As soon as the company is incorporated it will purchase the properties of the John L. Roper Lumber company, including the mills at Norfolk and a big tract of timber in the region south of Norfolk. With the exception of the Atlantic Coast Lumber Corporation, of which E. C. Benedict of New York is president, the Roper company is the largest concern in that branch of business in Virginia and North Carolina.

The consideration for the purchase of the Roper company has been practically agreed upon. It is stated that the amount approximates $1,250,000.

The company will also acquire extensive timber tracts in North Carolina and absorb many smaller concerns. F. E. Dewey has acted as expert for the intending purchasers in appraising the value of the Roper company's properties and has also secured terms from owners of many smaller properties. The papers are in course of preparation in the offices of Godkin & Chadbourne.

Most of the timber lands of the Roper company are in North Carolina, and the raw timber is brought to the main mills of the company on the Elizabeth river just above the navy yard by the Dismal Swamp Canal. The company has smaller mills in North Carolina, but is handicapped by inadequate shipping facilities from them. It is understood that the railroad will be constructed almost entirely for the purpose of handling the lumber traffic.

RELEASED

PRIVATE SLEUTH WAS CHARGED WITH ABDUCTION.

NEW YORK, May 29.—James E. Mason, the private sleuth, who married Beatrice Harding, the sword dancer, at Niagara Falls, and has been tried twice in general sessions for abduction, the jury disagreeing each time, is in more trouble.

Mason was released by Judge Cowing on his own recognizance and when he thought he might meet his sword dancer wife, but she had been sent home from the House of Dentention to her father, a fire eater, and her mother, a snake charmer.

There were others waiting for Mason. As he stepped out of the court-room door he ran into two smartly dressed women.

"My turn now," said the first woman.

"And mine, too," said the second.

A Brooklyn detective who had been standing near put his hand on Mason's shoulder.

"My prisoner," said he, it being his opportunity to be dramatic.

Said the first woman: "That man is my husband. I was his first wife before he married that sword dancer. And to think we were married three years ago and this is the anniversary of our wedding! The brute! he left me penniless."

Said the second woman: "I'm from Brooklyn. He stole some diamonds from me."

Mason with his guide took the south trail from the criminal courts building for the bridge.

EYE CUT

JOSEPH McEVOY FELL IN THE STREET.

Joseph McEvoy, residing at 8 Bassett street, while passing through Liberty square today, fell and sustained a cut over his right eye. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Emergency hospital where his injury was dressed.

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FATHER'S SUIT

Brooklyn Man Makes a Serious Charge

SUES HIS SON FOR $100,000

Says the Money Was Wrongfully Taken

NEW YORK, May 27.—Jeremiah Fitzpatrick of Brooklyn, formerly an extensive glass manufacturer with large interests here and in Western Pennsylvania, has brought suit against his son, James and the latter's wife for the restitution of over $1,000,000 in bonds, securities and realty, which he claims, have been wrongfully taken from him.

An attack of the bitterest nature is made by the father on his son and daughter-in-law. For five days past the country home of the son in New Suffolk, has been barricaded against the fruitless efforts of process servers from this city to serve Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick summons in the suits. The siege was abandoned when service of the papers was accepted by counsel. The father retired seven years ago and turned over his business to James to whom he gave power of attorney. He now charges that at least $1,000,000 of the property has been conveyed by the son to the latter's wife and alleges he discovered this after having arranged the sale of $150,000 worth of real estate in Hoboken. The father declares he demanded an accounting but received no satisfaction from the son and that the suit was then brought. Counsel for the son denounce other members of the family, who are well known in Brooklyn and New York, as being back of the father's action.

SAVED $30,000

YOUNG WOMAN DREW MONEY FROM THE BANK.

CANTON, O., May 27.—Miss Florence Bridewell, 18 years old, daughter of the city treasurer and in charge of that office during the illness of her father, saved for the city $30,000 by her quick wit on Wednesday last.

Miss Bridewell was informed that the Canton State bank was in trouble. Quietly going over to the bank she asked for all of the available cash on hand. She received $30,000, and at her request one of the clerks helped her carry it to the city hall. Twenty minutes later the bank closed its doors.

FINED $150

"MUGSY" McGRAW ALSO SUSPENDED FOR FIFTEEN DAYS.

NEW YORK, May 27—Manager McGraw of the New York National baseball club has been fined $150 and suspended for 15 days for using offensive language to President Dreyfuss of the Pittsburg club.

KING OSCAR

OPPOSED TO A SEPARATE CONSULAR SYSTEM.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, May 27.—King Oscar at today's sitting of the council of ministers, declined to sign the law creating a separate consular system for Norway. The ministers immediately tendered their resignations, but the king refused to accept them.

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FINANCES LOW

Chicago Strikers are Greatly Disappointed

BUILDING TRADES WITHDRAWS AID

May be First Break in Struggle

CHICAGO, May 27.—Attention of strikers and employers was centered largely today on the effect of the action of the Associated Building Trades, accounted the strongest labor body in Chicago, and representing in its membership upwards of 1800 union workmen. This body having withdrawn both moral and financial support from the teamsters' cause, the first effect will be to cut off nearly $1,000 a week from the strike funds. The subsequent effect is problematical, many thinking it means the first break in the struggle, the beginning of the end.

In any event, it seems to check the peril to the whole building industry of the city—a situation which had become one of the great problems of the strike.

Further, this withdrawal of financial support is particularly trying at a time when finances are a serious problem. The response to the request for contribution from the country at large has, it is alleged, not been up to expectations, and with a daily expense of $10,000, financial stringency may be the rock on which the strike will be wrecked.

TIRED OF LAW

BLIND MAN BLEW OFF TOP OF HIS HEAD.

READSBORO, Vt., May 27.—Angelo Boduzzi, aged 35, blew the top of his head off with a shotgun yesterday afternoon. About a year ago he lost his sight by the premature explosion of a blast at Monroe bridge. He sued for damages and yesterday was given a verdict for $3000. The company took an appeal and, as Boduzzi had no money, he was probably despondent. He leaves a widow and five small children.

HARVARD WON

YALE DEFEATED IN DUAL TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

BOSTON, May 27—Harvard completely outclassed Yale in the dual tennis meet played on the Longwood cricket club courts at Longwood today, winning five matches to one in singles and three to nothing in doubles. In the nine matches played Yale won but three sets, all of those being in the singles.

The contest was for teams of six and the players were matched before the event began.

THE POPE

SENDS CONGRATULATIONS TO RUSSIAN EMPEROR.

ROME, May 27.—The pope in the autograph letter which he recently sent to Emperor Nicholas extending his congratulations on the religious reforms granted by his majesty, expressed great satisfaction at the invitation extended to the Russian Catholic bishops to set forth their desires regarding the reforms advocated for the Catholic church and also expressed the hope that a new era of peace was opening for Catholicism in Russia which would redound to the advantage of the whole empire and inspire the Catholics with gratitude, affection and loyalty.

FINISH FIGHT

BETWEEN MARVIN HART AND JACK ROOT.

RENO, Nev., May 27.—Al Livingston and Dan Egan, fight promoters, have completed arrangements for a battle to afinish between Jack Root and Marvin Hart, to take place in this city July 2. Articles of agreement were drawn up today and the promoters have telegraphed to Hart in Louisville today and Root in Chicao. A forfeit of $1000 has been posted by the promoters. The event will be the first finish fight since the great Corbett-Fitzsimmons encounter.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL.

For the week ending May 27, 1905: Population, 104,462; total deaths, 31; deaths under five, 10; infectious diseases, 1; acute lung diseases, 4; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 1. Death rate: 15.44 against 21.91-21.91 for previous two weeks. Infectious diseases reported: Smallpox, 5; scarlet fever, 1; diphtheria, 1; measles, 9; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 2. Board of Health, H. H. KNAPP, Agent.

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A BIG SCANDAL

"Tom" Lawson May Show It Up

NEW YORK, May 27.—Following rumors of a loan of $10,000,000 obtained by a prominent operator from a single institution, to be used in the liquidation of an obligation upon which depended the settlement of the Union Pacific-Northern Pacific fight, Thomas W. Lawson yesterday sent the following telegram to leading Wall street brokers:

"Boston, May 25.

"At a conference it will be decided whether public announcement shall be suppressed of institution carrying 600,000 shares of stock and name of operator carrying 300,000, now temporarily adjusted."

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 27, 1905.

May
19—John C. Davis 20, pulm. tub.
19—Ellen Pendergast 60, cap. bronchitis.
John J. Carrol 53, disease of heart.
20—Andre Martin 81, enteritis.
Walter L. Salmon 25, disease of kidneys.
Arthur Bastien 22, pneumonia.
21—Mary Lee 72, heart disease.
Aurelie Dube 71, Bright's disease.
Lucie Gauthier 31, septicaemia.
Henry St. George 11 mos., whooping cough.
Julia Desmarreau 7 mos., hydrocephalus.
Joseph Deforge 3 mos., pneumonia.
22—Alonzo L. Russell 66, heart disease.
James Campbell 62, nephritis.
Ambelise Vallere 10, cer. hemorrhage.
Marie A. Marchand 12, enteritis.
Herbert O'Donnell 1, tubr. meningitis.
George J. Rowen 1, convulsions.
23—David Halloran 71, disease of bladder.
John Washington 66, fracture of vertebrae.
Ellen Hardy 50, carcinoma.
Mary Finnerty 3, meningitis.
Mary A. Blowen 3, cer. spin. men.
24—Mary E. Kiely 15, pneumonia.
Michael Green 58, cer. hemorrhage.
Mary M. McCarthy 2 hours, atelectasis.
Alice D. Reynolds 16, pulm. tuberculosis.
25—Joseph A. W. Labossiere 21 days, atrophy.
——— McGann 1 day, atelectasis.
26—James Lowler 29, phthisis.

GIRARD P. DADMAN, City Clerk.

A DIFFERENCE

BETWEEN WAYS IN AMERICA AND SCOTLAND.

NEW YORK, May 27—James Dalrymple, superintendent of the City Tramway system of Glasgow, Scotland, who comes here at the invitation of Mayor Dunne of Chicago to advise Chicago officials in their experiment with municipal ownership arrived on the Campania today. Mr. Dalrymple said:

"Glasgow now controls its gas, electricity, tramways, water, markets, parks, baths, lodging houses and telephone system. The telephone system is not so much a success as we expected, however, as we are fighting the national telephone company. We believe in time, however, we will get it in better order.

"The situation in Glasgow is different from what it is here," he said. "In this country, I understand every man holding a municipal position has to be a politician, whereas in Glasgow every man in the city service must not be a politician."

Mr. Dalrymple said that little trouble had been experienced with labor unions. He said that Glasgow had been successful with its city gas plant and had reduced the price to about 50 cents per 1000 cubic feet.

Richard Canfield also arrived on the Campania.

THE COURT

TO DETERMINE LEGALITY OF CAMPBELL'S ELECTION.

BOSTON, May 27.—Attorney General Herbert Parker instituted proceedings in the supreme court today against Francis A. Campbell, clerk of the Suffolk county superior civil court to show by what warrant of law he claims to hold the title to the office. Campbell was elected by a small margin at a special election last fall, but since that time the legality of calling a special election to choose a clerk has been questioned, and it is in order to settle the matter that the attorney general has petitioned the court.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

BOSTON, May 27.—Edward S. Harris, a State street broker, doing business under the name of Edward S. Harris & Co., filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States court today. The liabilities are placed at $24,243, and the assets at $6,531. There are 22 unsecured creditors holding claims for $18,793, principally on loans and notes.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At Goodale's drug store, 217 Central st., price 50 and $1.00; guaranteed Trial bottle free.

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THE FIRE SPREAD

Started by Spark From a Locomotive

ROCHESTER, N. H., May 27.—A fire which was started in a tract of woodland between this city and Farmington yesterday afternoon, probably by sparks from a passing locomotive, spread with disastrous effect during the night before a high gale. Up to this forenoon several square miles of valuable timber and cut and standing cord wood had been burned over, and a house and two barns had been destroyed, causing a total loss estimated at nearly $10,000. The house and barn of Charles Tebbetts on Chestnut Hill and the barn of Joseph Barker, nearby, were those burned. Several other farmhouses were in considerable danger today. Members of the fire departments of Rochester and Farmington, together with many section hands of the Boston & Maine railroad and scores of residents of the section, turned out to fight the flames, but it was believed today only a heavy rainfall could wholly subdue them.

SHE MUST HANG

No New Trial for Mary Rogers

SUPREME COURT DENIES MOTION

The New Evidence Was Not Sufficient

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 27.—The supreme court today denied the petition of Mrs. Mary M. Rogers, the condemned murderess, for a new trial.

Mrs. Rogers is under sentence to be hanged on June 2 for the murder of her husband, Marcus M. Rogers. Justice John R. Watson announced the decision which was made on the ground that sufficient new evidence had not been presented to warrant granting a new trial.

Judge Watson said that the affidavit of Leon Perham, the accomplice of Mrs. Rogers, who is now serving a life sentence in state prison for the crime, which was made to counsel for Mrs. Rogers and prison officials, stated that Perham had lied on the stand, but did not state in what particular he had falsified. The affidavits of prison officials regarding Perham and Mrs. Rogers the court considered irrelevant. Regarding the contention of Mrs. Rogers' counsel that a fracture of the skull had been discovered by the man who prepared Rogers' body for burial and that this would indicate that the man had been murdered by a blow instead of by chloroform, which had been shown by the evidence in Mrs. Rogers' trial to have been the cause of death, Justice Watson said that it seemed incredible that the physicians who performed the autopsy should not have reported upon such a wound. He said nothing had been brought forward to prove that this fracture was not made by the physicians themselves in the course of their examination, as they had previously stated. Altogether the court considered that no evidence has been presented of sufficient importance to warrant a new trial and the petition was denied.

BANK CLOSED

CHARLESTOWN INSTITUTION GOES INTO LIQUIDATION.

BOSTON, May 27.—The Monument National Bank of Charlestown which has been in business, first as a state and later as a national institution, since 1855, was closed today by vote of the stockholders and placed into liquidation. The business will be taken over by the Bunker Hill National Bank. It had not been announced previously that the Monument Bank would retire.

The banking interests of Charlestown decided, it is announced, that business in the district did not warrant the maintenance longer of two national institutions.

The Monument bank has a capital of $150,000, $120,000 surplus and deposits of $440,000. The last sale of its stock was at 161, but officials of the bank estimate that stockholders will receive about 170 in liquidation.

The Bunker Hill Bank has a capital of $500,000, a surplus of $450,000 and deposits of about $1,500,000.

CORN BROKE

TOTAL DECLINE OF 20 CENTS A BUSHEL.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 27.—Another sensational break today of 8¼ cents in price of corn for May delivery makes a total decline for that option during the past three days of nearly 20 cents a bushel. When the final gong sounded today sellers were anxious to take 49¾ cents a bushel for corn to be delivered before June 1. The severe slump marked the end of an attempted "corner." The apparent cause of the abandonment of the deal was the alacrity with which the farmers took advantage of the extraordinarily high price prevailing in the Chicago market to get rid of their surplus corn.

ARCHBISHOP

OBJECTED TO D'ANNUNZIO MAKING ADDRESS.

ROME, May 27.—An exhibition of ancient art was recently organized at Chieti, the archbishop of Chieti being an exhibitor. A committee man asked D'Annunzio, the author, to deliver the inaugural address and he agreed to do so but the archbishop forbade him to speak on the ground that D'Annunzio had been put in the Index expurgateous, adding that if D'Annunzio spoke, he, the archbishop, would withdraw from the exhibition. The committee eventually politely asked D'Annunzio to reconsider his determination to deliver the inaugural address.

GETTING VOTES

Mayor Weaver May Defeat Gas Lease

THE STATE MACHINE IS INVOLVED

"Organization" Is Up Against It

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Mayor Weaver and the Republican "organization" leaders are striving, the former to gain control of councils and later to prevent a sufficient number of defections from the "organization" ranks to sustain the mayor's veto of the gas lease resolutions. When Mayor Weaver broke with the "organization" over the lease of the city gas works it was not thought that the fight would extend beyond the confines of the city. Developments now indicate, however, that the entire state organization is likely to become involved.

Since Thursday leaders from various other counties have been coming here seeking information, and it is reported today that a call has been secretly issued from headquarters for a conference at Atlantic City, N. J. It is rumored that state and city leaders have been invited to attend the conference.

Mayor Weaver was today assured of the support of an additional select councilman, making eleven in that body who are said to be pledged to him. The latest deserter from the ranks of those favoring the lease is George B. Edwards, select councilman from the 22d ward, which embraces the suburb of Germantown.

As divided up today councils stand as follows on the gas lease proposition:

Originally voting against the lease: select, four; common, nine; total 13.

Recruits gained against the lease: select, seven; common, eighteen; total 25.

Votes needed to sustain the mayor's veto: select, 17; common 34.

Out of respect to the memory of the late Justice Dean whose funeral takes place on Monday, common pleas court will not hear the argument on the preliminary injunction granted by Judge Ralston against the removal of Directors Smyth and Costello until May 31.

Joseph C. Auerbach of New York, who has been engaged as special counsel for the committee of seventy to fight the gas lease, called on Mayor Weaver today.

Mr. Auerbach spent more than an hour in the mayor's office, Judge Gordon and other advisers of the mayor being present and afterward gave out the following statement:

"I called upon the mayor as a matter of courtesy in view of the fact that our firm of Davies, Stone and Auerbach have in conjunction with Thomas Raeburn White concluded to accept a retainer from the committee of 70 and to act for them in opposing the proposed gas extension lease. We shall hope to have the co-operation of Judge Gordon and Mr. Root with us and to the extent that our advice and assistance are deemed by them to be helpful we shall co-operate with Judge Gordon and Mr. Root. Our firm is generally familiar with the controversy in question, having been one of the representatives professionally of the firm of E. B. Smith & Co., in the matter of their bill, inasmuch as that relation might operate to embarrass our duties under our present retainers to the committee, we have with the consent of E. B. Smith & Co., terminated that relation."

Select Councilman James E. Walsh of the thirty-eighth ward announced today that he would vote to sustain the mayor's veto of the gas lease resolution. The mayor now requires seven votes in select council in order to defeat the lease of the gas works.

"Organization" leaders Durham and Seger and McNichol went to the office of the United Gas Improvement company shortly before noon and are supposed to be in conference with Thomas Dolan, president of the company. When the three leaders left the United Gas Improvement company's office they refused to make any statement. Mr. Durham said that he might have something to say later in the day.

GAS COMPANY

SAID TO HAVE WITHDRAWN ITS OFFER.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27—"Organization" leaders are responsible for the statement that the United Gas Improvement company has withdrawn its offer to advance the city $25,000,000 in consideration of an extension of the lease of the city gas works. This no doubt is the outcome of the conference between Messrs. Durham, Seger, McNichol and President Dolan, of the United Gas company early today.

MARY LEASE

ROBBED OF HER MONEY AND JEWELRY.

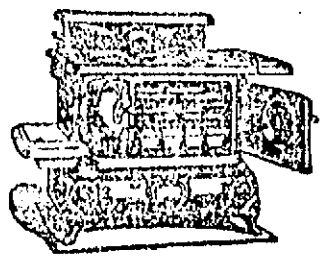
NEW YORK, May 27—Mrs. Mary Ellen Lease, the former Kansas lecturer and populist was robbed of $110 in cash and $90 worth of jewelry and silverware by two burglars at her home in this city today. One of the burglars held a revolver to Mrs. Lease's head and took the money from a bag which she carried and seized a diamond studded heart which she wore at her throat. Both burglars escaped.

THE EMPEROR

CHEERED BY GREAT CROWDS IN BERLIN.

BERLIN, May 27.—Emperor William returned to Berlin today after nine weeks' absence. He looked well and was cheered by the crowds. The empress' private car was detached from the train at Wild Park station. Her majesty was deeply veiled so as to conceal the bandages covering the injuries on her head sustained by falling down stairs at Wiesbaden May 21.

The emperor during the day unveiled the statue of Emperor Frederick at Charlottenburg in commemoration of the hundredth anniversary of the founding of Berlin's largest suburb.



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WON A SUIT OVER MILK CAN PATENTS.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Judge Ray in the United States district court handed down a decision granting the Iron Clad Manufacturing company an injunction and an accounting against the two defendants, the Dairymen's Manufacturing company and the Orange County Milk association.

The Iron Clad Manufacturing company, which is owned largely by Mrs. Robert Bonner, better known as "Nellie Bly," charges that milk cans used by the defendants in the transportation of milk were infringements of patented cans made and sold by the Iron Clad company.

In the long drawn out suit fully a carload of milk cans of various shapes and sizes were exhibited and thousands of pages of testimony were taken before Commissioner Shields as master. The case will probably be appealed.

RUBBER CO.

HAS INCREASED ITS CAPITAL STOCK.

TRENTON, N. J., May 29—The United States Rubber company filed an amended certificate of incorporation here Friday increasing its capital stock from $20,000,000 to $35,000,000, creating a third class of stock and authorizing the purchase of a controlling interest in the Rubber Goods Manufacturing company. The changes were authorized at a stockholders' meeting held at New Brunswick yesterday. Anthony N. Brady was authorized by the resolution to make a conditional contract for not less than 67 per cent. of the stock of the Rubber Goods Manufacturing company. This was all in accordance with plans previously announced.

HEADS OF SCHOOLS

VISITED THE TEXTILE SCHOOL ON SATURDAY.

Thirty-five superintendents of public schools in Massachusetts visited the Textile school in this city Saturday. The following named persons were in the party: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bates, Cambridge; B. B. Russell, Sr., Brockton; B. B. Russell, Jr., Brockton; George A. Walters, West Newton; C. L. Hunt, Clinton; E. Walton, Sharon; Miss Brinkhaus, Malden; Wilson L. Gill, Philadelphia, Pa.; B. Norman Strong, Hartford, Conn.; George P. Armstrong, Belmont; C. E. Stevens, Stoneham; Robert C. Metcalf, Winchester; Freeman Hall, North Adams; George L. Clapp, Woburn; Charles F. Adams, Spencer; J. T. Widney, Medford; Charles H. Morse, Medford; F. C. Heald, East Weymouth; C. S. Lyman, Amesbury; M. J. West, Millis; H. J. Jones, Holden; Miss S. F. Drury, Everett; J. M. Howell, Everett; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Grant, East Bridgewater; Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Draper, Hyde Park; V. G. Wheeler, Everett; J. A. MacDougall, Braintree; Herbert W. Lull, Newport, R. I.; W. H. Chase, Leominster; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Whitcomb, Lowell.

CAPT. GODDARD

MAN WHO KILLED POLICY GAME DEAD.

LITCHFIELD, Conn., May 29.—Capt. F. Norton Goddard, head of the New York anti-policy society and prominent in other reform work in that city, died suddenly yesterday morning at his country home here. A brain hemorrhage, with which he was attacked unexpectedly after several weeks of poor health that was ascribed to rheumatism and nervous prostration, was the cause of his death.

Capt. Goddard came to Litchfield with his family about three weeks ago, hoping that his health would be improved in the air of the hill country.

BISHOP STANG

PLEADS FOR RESTORATION OF POPE'S TEMPORAL POWER.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Bishop Stang of Fall River, Mass., addressed an immense audience at Carnegie hall last night, the meeting being in connection with the annual convention of the Federation of German Catholic societies, which opened here yesterday. On the platform were also Archbishop Farley and Mgr. Dauffenbach and Mooney.

Bishop Stang, in the course of his address, pleaded for the restoration of the temporal power of the pope.

BUILDING REPORTS.

Throughout the country reports show a most satisfactory condition in building operations. The American Contractor has compiled a table showing the building activities in the principal cities. New York heads the list with an aggregate of $23,000,000 during the month of April, an increase of 31 to 73 per cent. according to locality. Chicago comes next with $7,298,000, a gain of 70 per cent. and then Philadelphia with $3,310,740, a loss of 5 per cent. Pittsburg presses Philadelphia closely with operations reaching $3,192,793, a gain of 39 per cent. Washington operations reach $2,147,870 and Minneapolis $1,572,625. The other cities reaching the million mark are Cincinnati, Detroit, Milwaukee and Winnipeg. Rochester, N. Y., and Kansas City Mo., just miss reaching the million dollar mark. In the losing column are placed in the order named: Spokane 47 per cent., Newark, N. J., New Haven, Alleghany, Pa., Manchester, N. H., and Buffalo, the latter with a loss of 15 per cent.

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FEAST OBSERVED

Portuguese Celebrated St. Michael's Day

St. Michael's Day or the feast of Ecce Homo, it being known as the latter to the natives and descendents of natives of St. Michael' sAzores group, was observed in this city yesterday by Portuguest from Fall River, New Bedford, Boston, Lawrence and this city.

The exercises opened on the eve of the feast, Saturday night, when the Portuguese paraded through the Portuguese section of the city, preceded by the Cadet band.

Yesterday morning the societies from cities around Lowell began to arrive here and at eleven o'clock a solemn high mass was celebrated at St. Anthony's church.

The interior of the church was beautifully decorated with the Portuguese and American flags, while the altar was decorated in an artistic manner with flowers. The celebrant of the mass was Rev. J. V. De Rosa, pastor of the church. Rev. Fr. Despony was deacon, and Rev. J. J. Pimental, of New Bedford, was sub-deacon.

Peter's mass in D was sung by an augmented choir under the direction of Peter A. Clune, with Miss Lulu Ginty as the organist. Miss Hattie Fox sustained the soprano solos of the beautiful musical service. Mr. Clune sang a "Veni Creator," and at the offertory a trio was given by Miss Fox, Mr. Clune and Mr. James Haley.

The religious societies connected with the church then formed in line, headed by the priests with the crucifix. The procession was continued outside the church, through Congress street to Thorndike, and to Davis corner, where the marchers went inside of the church again. The members of the out-of-town benefit societies, all in military uniforms, formed in files, between which the little girls and boys marched.

At the conclusion of the procession solemn benediction was pronounced by the celebrant. "O Salutaris" was sung by Mr. Haley and a "Tantum Ergo" by the choir.

The religious part of the three days' feast came to a close shortly after two o'clock in the afternoon. The military feature was then in order. Four bands were in line, while about 500 uniformed men took part and marched through the principal streets of the city.

The line was headed by the Lowell Cadet band, followed by Manuel M. Santos, chief marshal of the day, and his aids. Then came the Royal St. Michael's association of this city, 100 men, after which came the Boston & Maine Y. M. C. A. band of Boston heading society No. 1 of Boston with 175 men.

A. Jordan was captain of this contingent. Society No. 2, also of Boston, appeared with 50 men in line, captained by P. Travis.

The Recreation band, of Fall River, 20 pieces, headed Society No. 3, which was commanded by Anton Augustus. The Military band of New Bedford led Society No. 4. This last society had 75 men in line.

Carriages containing invited guests and officers of the National association brought up the rear. In the first carriages were Supreme President Manuel P. Camara, of Fall River; Supreme Secretary Anton George of Boston and Antonio Picano of this city.

In the other carriage were Anton Rabello, C. Rabello and Daniel Jordan, of the supreme board of directors and A. Augustus and Frank Perry, of the supreme board of trustees. Dr. H. A. Rosa, of Fall River, a well-known young physician, was among the invited guests to ride.

The line formed in Davis square and went through Back Central street to Church street, to High street, to East Merrimack to Merrimack, countermarch at city hall through Merrimack to Central to Hurd street where the parade was disbanded.

A fine banquet was held at the Rollaway skating rink in the Central block in Hurd street. Four long tables were heavily laden with good things to eat while a fifth table was used by the officers of the different organizations.

One hour was taken up at the tables, following which Chief Marshal Santos called the assemblage to order. In a brief speech he introduced President Camara and Dr. Rosa. The latter spoke in English and evoked much enthusiasm.

About 5 o'clock the formal exercises were closed, the out-of-town delegations leaving for their homes on special trains. The celebration was the most complete ever held in Lowell by the Portuguese societies.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.

FOUND DEAD

THOMAS SULLIVAN PASSED AWAY IN GYPSY CAMP.

Thomas Sullivan, who was recently left considerable money, and who had about $500 in his pockets within a few weeks, was found dead yesterday near the gypsy camp in Chelmsford not far from Golden Cove.

He has some well-to-do relatives living in the vicinity of Boston and they have been notified.

Sullivan has been going at a fast gait for some time, it is said. He was seen in Lowell Saturday and was as well as usual apparently. Medical Examiner Irish examined the body and pronounced the death due to alcoholism. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

The White Store will be closed all day tomorrow

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TO INTENDING BUYERS—I have bought an automobile and have placed these two mares with Messrs. Hanson & Co., to be sold at their Thursday auction. I shall no doubt regret the change. I personally went to Kentucky, selected these two mares, and I stand ready to say and do say, two better ones were never offered in the state. They can be seen and ridden or driven at Hanson's stables, at any time after Tuesday evening.

TO BE SOLD AT 1 O'CLOCK, THURSDAY, MAY 25TH.

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Can be seen, ridden or driven at our stable any time after Tuesday noon.

FUNERALS

SIMPSON—The funeral of Thomas W. Simpson took place Saturday afternoon from his late home, 324 Stevens street. Rev. Clarence Williams officiated. The bearers were four sons of the deceased, Dr. Charles E. Simpson, George, Albion and Tennyson Simpson. Burial was in Windham, N. H. Undertakers C. M. Young & Co. had charge.

BELL—The funeral of Fred Bell took place yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from 59 Tyler street. Rev. N. W. Mathews officiated. There was singing by Miss Alice Scoble, Mrs. Fred Potter, Messrs. N. W. Matthews, Jr., and Fred Potter. The bearers were Joseph Richards, Joseph Fleming, Mr. Walker and Mr. Wetherbee. A delegation from Lowell lodge, K. of P., were present and conducted their special service at the grave in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers C. M. Young & Co. had charge.

SOPER—The funeral of Mary T. Soper took place yesterday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from 208 Middlesex street, and at 2 o'clock from St. Peter's church, Rev. Fr. Burns officiated. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. The bearers were John S. Fay, Henry Quinn, William Maher and Joseph Valleroud. Undertaker C. H. Molloy had charge.

O'KEEFE—The funeral of Michael O'Keefe took place Saturday afternoon from 15 Marion street. The bearers were John Riley, John Parker, Patrick Kelley, Fred Cronin, John Morrissey and Patrick Cavanaugh. At the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery Rev. Fr. Gilday read the committal prayers. Undertaker C. H. Molloy had charge.

SWANWICK—The funeral of Gladys A. Swanwick took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 14 Billerica street, at 2 o'clock. Rev. Robert F. True officiated. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck had charge.

NICHOLS—The funeral of Charles P. Nichols took place Saturday afternoon from 1019 Middlesex street. Rev. Charles T. Billings officiated. The Temple male quartet sang. Harry A. Brown had charge of the funeral arrangements. A very large number of the friends of the deceased gathered to pay their last respects and the services were most appropriate. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery. Undertaker J. B. Currier had charge. The bearers were George Whiting, Joseph P. Battles, Joseph A. Nesmith and David Goddard.

DEATHS

WATKYNS—Mrs. Walter Watkyns, a well known Pawtucketville resident, died yesterday at her home, 14 Mt. Grove street, after a long and painful illness. Besides her husband, she leaves three children, Leo, Irene and Ruby; her father, Pierre Hebert; five brothers, Joseph, Marcel, Solomon, Alfred and Napoleon Hebert, all of this city, and two sisters, Mrs. Charles Rodier of Suncook, N. H., and Mrs. Adeline St. Amand of this city.

WISWELL—Harriet Falls Wiswell, wife of J. Norman Wiswell, of Bethlehem, N. H., died in Boston, May 27. She was the second daughter of Alonzo Falls of this city and was born in Amesbury, Mass., October 10, 1870. She leaves a father, Alonzo Falls, two sisters, Mrs. F. F. Harwood and Miss Florence Falls, one brother, Frank R., of Chicopee, Mass.; and one niece, Miss Elsie Harwood. Funeral notice later.

GRAY—Sarah Gray, an old resident of this city, died yesterday at the home of her son, John T. Ryan, 34 Hovey avenue. She is survived by her husband, Patrick Gray, and one son, John T. Ryan, the well known painter.

BARDEN—James Barden, aged 47 years, died Saturday at his home, 8 Madison street. He is survived by a wife and four daughters, Misses Susan, Mary E., Hannah and Catherine V. Barden.

NOONAN—Miss Alice Noonan, formerly of Lowell, died Saturday at her home in Tufts avenue, Beverly, Mass. The remains will be brought to Lowell Tuesday morning by Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons and at 9.30 a mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church.

ROY—William Roy, aged 20 years, 6 months and 27 days, died Saturday night at his residence, 1 Regina place. He leaves a father, William Roy, five brothers, Arthur, Theophile, Ferdinand, Eugene and Louis Roy, and five sisters, Misses Eugenie, Maria, Albertina, Yvonne and Angelina Roy.

FR. MULLIN

WILL SPEND THREE MONTHS IN CALIFORNIA.

The Rev. W. George Mullin, assistant pastor of St. Peter's church, leaves tomorrow afternoon for an extended tour of the Pacific coast. Father Mullin will be absent from his clerical duties at St. Peter's for more than three months. During his trip he will visit all the points of interest in the states of California, Oregon and Washington. The greater portion of his time, however, will be spent in the southern portion of California.

The reverend clergyman during his priestly service in this city has labored indefatigably for the welfare of the parish and of the Catholics of the city. He in these labors was unmindful of his own health, so much so that he has become completely run down, and takes this extended vacation with the hope that he can in some small way recover his former good health. The national convention of the Knights of Columbus will be held in San Francisco during the month of June, and as the reverend father is a member of this organization, he will undoubtedly attend the meetings. Father Mullin will be accompanied on his trip to California by Dennis J. Murphy, Esq., and William Sullivan, delegates to the Knights of Columbus convention. Mr. Henry L. Roarke will also accompany them.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.

CLEVER PALMIST SETTLES IN LOWELL

Tells of the Many Fakirs Who Are in the Business.

B. Elias Sterling, palmist, who has taken up quarters permanently in Lowell at 81 Merrimack street, has had wonderful success in the south and west in his profession, according to hundreds of credentials from prominent citizens and newspapers in various sections of the country.

Yesterday afternoon a Lowell Sun reporter had a long talk with the palmist, and in the course of the interview had opportunity to look over the numerous references that the palmist carries.

Among the newspapers with which Prof. Sterling was connected was the Scripps-McRae Association, which is a combination of a dozen publications with a circulation of about 400,000. From the Kentucky Post, a member of this association, Prof. Sterling showed the following signed statement:

"A very satisfactory contract made by the Kentucky Post with Prof. B. Elias Sterling, the palmist, has just been completed. The feature attracted much attention and brought out thousands of responses. Every promise made to us by Prof. Sterling was carried out and all bills promptly met. It is with pleasure and sincerity that we can cordially recommend him.

"THE KENTUCKY POST,
"John T. Sullivan, Jr., Business Mgr."

In discussing imitators and fakirs, Prof. Sterling said: "They are numerous, and it is small wonder that the public is sometimes skeptical. I have much to contend with sometimes on this account. Naturally, as a means of protection, I always obtain credentials from persons with whom I do business, so that there can be no doubt as to my identity. I have been associated with some of the leading papers of the west and south, and have done work for many prominent men of the country. I have leased quarters in Lowell for one year, and expect to share the confidence of the public of Lowell as I have elsewhere."

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WANTED—Experienced operators on button and button hole machines; also stitchers on high speed power machines, making muslin underwear, work steady, clean, and good pay, large airy workroom. Apply at Whitall Mfg. Co., 50 Willie st.

WANTED—At once, a carpenter. Apply Lowell Bath House Co., 601 Pawtucket st. Come ready for work.

WANTED at once, a woman to wash and iron 2 days a week. Call at 22 Twelfth st.

WANTED—Experienced table girl, and girl for second work, in boarding house, at once. 116 Appleton st.

WANTED—At once; 2 good awning makers. Call at 200 Dutton st., Cross Awning Co.

WANTED—Kitchen girl. Apply 323 Central st.

WANTED—A house girl at 162 Chelmsford st.

WANTED—At once, vampers at Stover & Bean's, Thorndike st.

YOUNG MEN wanted immediately for special positions paying not less than $20 a week. Write today. Address, Clark Co., Box 960, Scranton, Pa.

YOUNG GREEK (18) desires position in private family. Can talk little English and can read and write very well. John Jouron, 220 Suffolk st., Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Men everwhere, good pay; to distribute circulars, adv. matter, tack signs, etc. No canvassing. National Adv. Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Manager for new branch of our business here in Lowell. Write promptly, with references. The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—Men to distribute samples, tack signs, $3.00 daily. No canvassing. Continental Distributing Service, Chicago.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn good income corresponding for newspapers. Experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—A young man about seventeen to learn the furnishing goods business. Address Furnisher, Sun Office.

WANTED—Local representatives, $35 to $50 per week to right party. Old established business. Best of references and security required, as party will be entrusted with financial responsibilities. Room 1147, Old South Bldg., Boston, Mass.

WANTED—A barber to work nights and Saturdays at 9 Salem st.

WANTED—Experienced seamstress, no other need apply. Inquire 16 Alder st.

WANTED—An experienced cook at 623 Central st.

WANTED—Knitters at the Criterion Knitting Co., 220 Tanner st.

WANTED—Experienced stock fitter, stock cutter and nailers. Apply A. A. Flint, Box Factory, Tyngsboro, Mass.

WANTED—Men everywhere, good pay; to distribute circulars, adv. matter, tack signs, etc. No canvassing. National Adv. Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Taylor, 29 Twelfth st.

RELIABLE HELP of all kinds wanted. Mill help, worsted sewers, $12 per week. Web drawers on wire or warp can make from $8 to $12 per week, also weaver on woolen goods, farm hands, general housework girls wanted, also cooks, table girls, to go to the seashores or mountains. Prescott Employment Bureau, 31 Prescott st., Lowell, Tel. 893-2.

WANTED—At the Talbot mills, North Billerica, weavers for plain and fancy work.

WANTED

WANTED—An empty store in good locality with tenement connected. Inquire at the Sun Office.

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WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

WANTED—Summer boarders at Amherst hotel, Amherst, N. H., first class board at reasonable price. H. B. Rinter.

WANTED—To buy bottom mortgage for cash, state location and amount. A. B., Sun Office.

WANTED—Small tenement of 3 or 3 rooms, centrally located. Address A. L. C., Sun Office.

WANTED—Washing, cleaning and ironing. Inquire 296 Middlesex street, 4 rear.

WEAVERS WANTED

For white cotton, fancy work, steady work and good wages. Call at Merrimack House, between 2 and 4 p. m. next Tuesday.

INFORMATION WANTED

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MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY LOANED to salaried people on their own personal note at Kelley's, 320 Middlesex street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security, salaried people and others. Best terms, liberal discount, commission paid. Merrimack Loan Co., Associate Building.

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DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to salaried people, merchants, boarding house keepers, teamsters, etc. Easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city. Confidential; no publicity; no delay. Special inducements for quick payments. Private office. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott st., room 5, Lowell, Mass.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—500 loads of nice mortar and 10,000 bricks. Will load teams with dirt free of charge, School street at Gas Works. Inquire of Jaques Boisvert, 83 Ennell st. Tel. 1158-2.

FOR SALE—A small lodging house to be sold on Paige st., No. 43. Price is $75. Please call afternoons, handy to the Boott mills; the party is going to Canada.

$100 TO $250—1 house lots for sale off Tolman st., Pawtucketville. Address F., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—To be removed, two-story building, situated on Congress street in rear of St. Anthony's church. Apply at 7 Congress st.

FOR SALE—A large boarding house must be sold at once on account of sickness. Room 41, Hildreth Bldg.

FOR SALE—A Hub Oak parlor stove, No. 8 range and blue flame oil stove. Will be sold cheap, owner leaving city. Can be seen at 200 Westford st., upstairs. L. V. Wright.

FOR SALE—Contents of a five room flat, including piano, steel range, refrigerator, etc. 18 Crowley st.

FOR SALE at half its value, well furnished, good paying lodging house. Inquire at Sun Office.

PIGS—Young well bred pigs for sale. Inquire at Putnam's market or at his farm near P. P. Perham's, Chelmsford.

MILLINERY GOODS of all kinds. We have no expensive rent so can afford to sell much cheaper than others. Call and see. 95 Westford st.

MUST SELL my store and lodging house, wife sick, price no object. C. S., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—A double cylinder Knox touring car or a single runabout Knox, single cylinder, will sell one or both. Inquire at 176 Branch st.

FOR SALE—Dunlap's king of washing powder for sale by all grocers.

FOR SALE—Whole or half interest in cigar, tobacco and fruit store. Address B, Sun Office.

TO LET

TO LET—Cottage, barn and land for garden, just outside city on car line. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—Furnished rooms. Inquire at 60 Kirk st.

TO RENT—Cottage of 7 rooms, also 2 stalls. Inquire 179 Salem st.

TO LET—Rooms, offices and suites for housekeeping at the New Wentworth 258 Merrimack st. Everything new and clean, and under new management. Apply to matron.

TO LET—Two rooms for light housekeeping on Merrimack st. well down town, $1.25 per week. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—Tenement of 4 rooms $7 per month. 107 High st., rear of 103.

TO LET—Store at 175 East Merrimack st., $9 per month. Key at 173 East Merrimack st.

TO LET—2 tenements, one 3 rooms and one 4 rooms, $5 a month each, rear 173 East Merrimack st.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping, gas and use of bath. Apply 6 Stackpole st.

TO LET—On the shore of Canobie Lake, N. H., a seven room cottage furnished, open fireplace, electric light and water in house, large veranda, boat and fine pine grove, five minutes to park. Address P. J. McEvoy, 621 Broadway, Lawrence, Mass.

TO LET—Fine furnished front rooms, suitable for married couple or two gentlemen, bath, gas and board if desired. Apply 26 Dutton st., front row.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms to ladies in private family, modern conveniences. 477 High st.

TO LET—Camp at Lakeview near the track. Inquire of Mrs. Pratt Lakeview Terrace.

TO LET—Suite of unfurnished rooms at 23 Bridge st.

TO LET—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 19 Dutton st.

TO LET—Large furnished front room in private family, all modern conveniences and telephone, 5 minutes walk from Merrimack square. Address F., Sun Office.

TO LET—2 newly finished stores, fitted for any kind of business, cor Church and Lawrence sts. Inquire at 795 Bridge st.

TO LET—Steam heated room with or without board, use of gas, bath and telephone. 86 Sherman st.

ROOMS TO LET at 53 Central st. Inquire of janitor or at Sun Office.

A NICE OFFICE to let on the second floor of the Harrington Building, 52 Central st. Rent low. Inquire at Sun Office.

TO LET—Three houses at So. End Salisbury beach, good water, etc. Rent cheap. Apply A. T. Clark, 72 Market st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—6-room down stairs tenement at 60 Tyler st. Apply to G. H. Walker, 216 Central st. or 58 Tyler st.

TO LET—Very desirable residence, No. 95 Myrtle st., consisting of ten room house and stable. Telephone 292-13.

TO LET—A store and boarding house at 150 Market st. Inquire 288 High st. mornings or at store afternoons.

TO LET—Two new modern flats on Rolfe st. opp. Normal school. Private entrances, verandas, steam heat, open plumbing, hard wood floors, gas and electric fixtures. Open for inspection daily between 3 and 6 p. m.

TO LET—A fine store, suitable for almost any kind of business. Would be a good chance for a woman to run a store and obtain a tenement in connection with same if desired. Inquire 62 Dummer st.

TO LET—On a farm in Andover, Mass., a nice colonial house, 12 rooms, furnished, piazza all around, stable, nice lawns, shade trees and shrubbery, situated high, very healthy, spring water sold right off the place, near electric and steam cars. For particulars apply to J. B. Withum, Marblehead, Mass.

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TO LET—Corner Windsor & Westford streets two six room flats all hard wood floors; steam heat, continuous hot water and gas range furnished. All modern conveniences. Apply James H. Walker, 43 Fletcher street. Tel. 911-2.

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For chills and sudden colds, taken in season, prevents pneumonia.

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CELEBRATION IS ON

Continued

growth and stability when we survey the hisory of just such a typical New England town as Chelmsford.

The glory of a state is not in the number of bushels of wheat it raises, or tons of coal it mines, or miles of railroad track it lays, but in the type of character it produces, the standard of intelligence it upholds and the best personality it develops. It is only when a state or a community adapts its institutions to the development of true manhood in its citizens—it is only then that it begins to make enduring history, and that the world begins to read it and draw life from it.

New England has had her brilliant scholars, her great statesmen, her philosophers, artists, emancipators, soldiers, law-givers, and they have lent undying lustre to our nation. But the qualities that have made New England are the qualities of the common people. Her ideal citizen is not an exceptional genius, but a plain, straightforward, law-abiding, liberty-loving man, a man with healthy conscience and a cheerful determination to do his duty in every walk of life.

HENRY S. PERHAM,
Of the Committee.

The traits of the New England character that have proved the dynamic of national progress have been abundantly illustrated in the history of this town. Certainly the first was enterprise and pioneer pluck. It took an immense amount of grit to plant this community. There were no highways when our fathers came here and they built heir homes in such clearings as they could make along the water courses or among the woods. The sound of the axe rang bravely through the wood, and gradually the Indian trail was converted into a road, and the tangled vales and uplands slowly by dint of patient toil became pastures. The motto of the forefathers was "What ought to be done, can be done."

FOREFATHERS SELF RESTRAINED.

Our forefathers were a self-restrained people. They were not given to loud protestations or boasts of what they were going to perform. They rested on their accomplishments. They practised a sublime prudence. Their strength was controlled and equalized, not subject to sudden ecstasies, not followed by reactions. Theirs was a sobriety of nature that delivered them from irregular and interrupted impulses. Violence and excitement were to them only signs of weakness. Exaggeration was a sign of lack of real conviction. Theirs was the self-control that is the essence of heroism.

We should note too that the intelligence and stability and prosperity of New England are in no small degree the result of our form of local political organization. When President John Adams was asked to mention the principal cause of the decision to resist oppression in arms he answered: "The town organizations of New England. It was in these assemblies that the sentiments of the people were formed and their resolutions were taken." This testimony is confirmed by the judgment of all reflecting men. Every New England town has been a nursery of freedom, and the people's great school of citizenship. It has bred in men the power to do their own thinking, accustomed them to the exercise of civil rights and breathed into them the spirit to maintain and defend them. Town meeting was and is a little parliament, and a trained watchfulness over local interests was and is the best preparation for efficient service in the broader spheres of the commonwealth and country.

"I venture to believe that the Puritan still lives in New England. Still is New England the mother of men—men—little given indeed to the expression of their feelings, sometimes careless of the outward grace of life—but resourceful, self-reliant, public-spirited. When a vulgar materialism seems to overwhelm us, remember the homelliness and simplicity of our John A. Andrews or Hannibal Hamlin, and the thousands of New Englanders, who, following the example of the fathers, have of choice, sought plain living and high thinking. When cowardice holds our political life in its grip and bids so many of our public men speak only conventional and timid sophistries, then remember Charles Sumner, Geo. William Curtis and William E. Russell. When literature grows feeble, and the scandalous gossip of a great city seems to be all the intellectual stimulus the people can stand, then remember the pure fire of Whittier, the sparkle of Holmes, the insight of Emerson, the imperial uplift of Lowell. When religion seems to grow corrupt—one one hand a clamor of empty noise, on the other hand a formal routine—then remember the spiritual vision of Channing the manly intensity of Phillips Brooks.

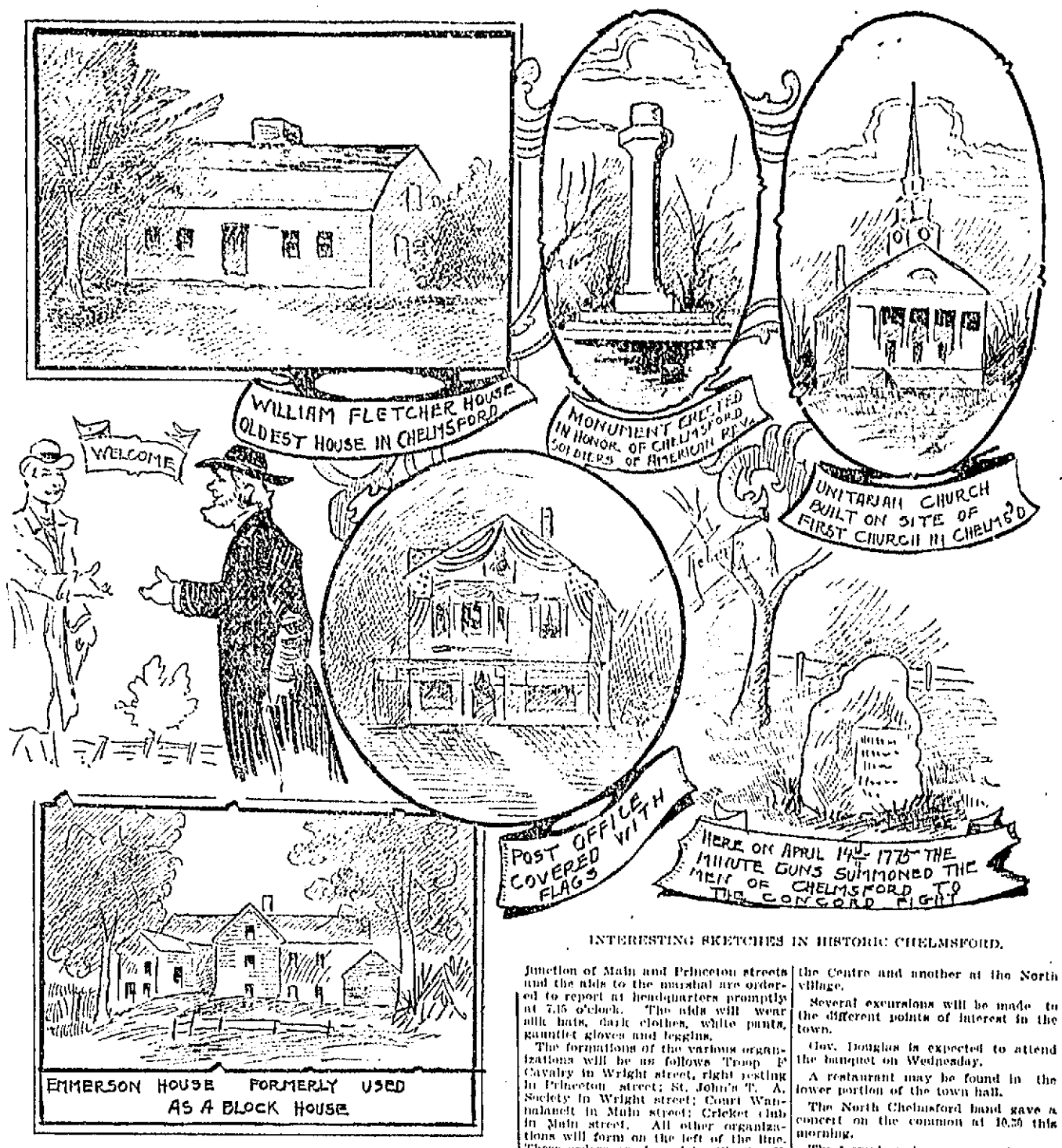
REBIRTH OF PURITAN SPIRIT.

Shall not a rebirth of the old Puritan spirit rouse our moral courage and restore our optimism? As the American manhood of past generations cleared the wilderness and planted here a free state, so it is the part of American manhood today not only to defend the state from ancient forms of tyranny without, but from the equally degrading forms of tyranny which may arise within, that we may be delivered not merely from oppressions exercised by king and church, but also from that modern form of oppression which confronts us—the tyranny of bewildered and misled majorities.

Through a pride in our country's past, through love of her scenery, through subtle and traditional feelings in the blood, through a thousand influences which come to us out of the past and are interwoven with all the fibres of our being, there grows before us the ideal of our country. It is no lifeless idol, but an invisible divinity we must honor and obey.

When each man among us, beyond his home affections, beyond his everyday concerns, feels the pressure of those invisible ideals, then is he a true New Englander—worthy child of the mother of a mighty race!

The closing hymn "America" was read by Rev. C. M. Merrill, pastor of the West Chelmsford Methodist church. Rev. A. D. K. Shurtleff of the First Congregational (Unitarian) society, pronounced the benediction.



INTERESTING SKETCHES IN HISTORIC CHELMSFORD.

CHELMSFORD VETS

ATTENDED SERVICES AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The G. A. R. veterans of Chelmsford attended Memorial service in the Episcopal church at the Centre, yesterday and listened to an eloquent address by Rev. Wilson Waters on "The Country Town as a Factor in the National Life." The interior of the building was beautifully decorated with bunting. Miss Roberta H. Greenleaf, presided at the organ and played Haling "Intermezzo" and "Largo in D Minor" by Baptiste. The choir sang "Venite" and "Gloria Patri" and other selections.

THE CHURCHES

ALL HAD SPECIAL SERVICES YESTERDAY.

At the Chelmsford Unitarian church, Rev. A. D. K. Shurtleff spoke on the theme: "The Place Whereon Thou Standest is Holy Ground." In the course of his remarks he said:

"Plymouth Rock is sacred because the Pilgrims landed there, and Chelmsford is sacred to us because the lives of the people are closely interwoven with the country.

"This church was the first built in Chelmsford, and it is sacred to us. Rev. John Fiske was the first pastor. He labored all his life among his neighbors, and now is buried over in the cemetery. He was followed by many others, who for nearly 250 years have been laboring as he did, for the improvement of the community, and the upbuilding of the gospel. Then there have been the laymen, sound men and women who have sacrificed, and not in vain. If I mentioned the names you would recognize them at once, because although the fathers are dead, the children live; such names as the Perhams, the Parkers, the Emersons, the Spauldings, and many others.

"As we age, let us remember that we are on holy ground. We should bring the children of the town up in the fear of God, so that in the future they shall know how holy the ground is. Today, Chelmsford is in gala dress, and we are honoring her with bunting, speeches and music. But after all, the greatest honor is the honor of the lives we are to live.'

"Citizenship in Heaven," was the subject of a sermon by Rev. C. M. Merrill, pastor of the West Chelmsford Methodist Episcopal church.

Rev. C. H. Ellis, at the Centre Baptist church, spoke on the appropriate subject: "Remove not the Ancient Landmarks."

Rev. D. H. Hudson at the Second Congregational church, North Chelmsford reviewed the early history of the town.

Rev. A. F. Earnshaw of the Central Congregational church spoke on Chelmsford's morality the heritage of the Puritans.

PARADE TONIGHT

GRAND AFFAIR AT THE NORTH VILLAGE.

North Chelmsford's contribution to the celebration program will be made tonight when a parade with speeches in the town hall, at its conclusion will take place.

The program of the parade is as follows:

Chief marshal and staff; North Chelmsford Brass band; Troop F, Cavalry, commanded by Sergt. W. H. Quigley; St. John's T. A. society, Stephen T. Ward, marshal; Court Wannalancit, Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, John Corrigan, marshal; North Chelmsford Cricket club, F. T. Duncan, marshal. The parade will form on the common at 7.30 o'clock and move at 7.45 sharp. The chief marshal's headquarters will be at the junction of Main and Princeton streets and the aids to the marshal are ordered to report at headquarters promptly at 7.15 o'clock. The aids will wear silk hats, dark clothes, white pants, gauntlet gloves and leggins.

The formations of the various organizations will be as follows Troop F Cavalry in Wright street, right resting in Princeton street; St. John's T. A. Society in Wright street; Court Wannalancit in Main street; Cricket club in Main street. All other organizations will form on the left of the line. These orders are issued by Charles F. Scribner, chief of staff.

The route of parade follows: Princeton street to Groton road to Newfield street to Gay street to Princeton street to junction of Centre street, countermarch to Branch street to Church street to Main street, to junction of Main and Princeton streets to the town hall where public exercises will be held.

The official staff: Chief marshal, William J. Quigley; chief of staff, Charles F. Scribner; bugler, David McNulty; aids, Frank A. Maloney, Capt. E. H. Keyes, P. L. Piggott, John Shaw, George C. Moore, Jr., Samuel Seymour, Joseph Carpenter, H. E. Howard, Michael Kinch, Robert W. Polly, Carl Ripley, John E. Harrington and H. F. Duncan.

CELEBRATION NOTES.

Don't forget North Chelmsford tonight.

Tomorrow will be "children's day," and a fine program is in store for them.

Two band concerts tonight, one at the Centre and another at the North village.

Several excursions will be made to the different points of interest in the town.

Gov. Douglas is expected to attend the banquet on Wednesday.

A restaurant may be found in the lower portion of the town hall.

The North Chelmsford band gave a concert on the common at 10.30 this morning.

The formal anniversary exercises are on this afternoon.

The bells rang out at sunrise and will be heard again at sunset.

The Memorial Day exercises tomorrow will be conducted by Commander Francis Hutchinson at 9.30 a. m.

The reception to home-comers will be held at the Centre town hall, this evening.

A grand "old time" concert will be given in the town hall tomorrow evening.

An historical exhibit was opened in the Unitarian church at 10 o'clock this morning.

Dr. S. L. Dutton addressed the school children on his war experience on Friday afternoon.

It is well worth the trip to Chelmsford to see the town in its gala attire.

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HE DECLINES

SEN. BLACKBURN CANNOT DELIVER MEMORIAL DAY ORATION

NEW YORK, May 29.--United States Senator Joseph C. S. Blackburn of Kentucky has upset all the calculations of U. S. Grant Post 327, Grand Army of the Republic, which had made arrangements for the senator to deliver the oration at the Grant Tomb on Memorial Day. In a telegram he said that his declination was due to a pressure of political business, that he was a candidate for nomination as United States senator and that it was necessary for him to remain on the ground and look after his fences. In the course of a letter which he sent to Post Commander Harry W. Knight of U. S. Grant Post, the senator writes:

"I cannot but recognize the force of the suggestion that the action of the Confederate Camp of New York in deciding not to join in the parade, although purposing to be present at the ceremonies at the tomb, which action was brought about by reason of the objection made by other posts than your own, tends to make the situation too delicate and doubtful to justify me in filling the engagement, and might, perhaps, subject me to criticism here at the hands of our organization because I did not conform or accord sufficient consideration to the course adopted by the Confederate Camp of your city.

But if, for the reasons above stated, that camp deemed it improper to appear in the parade, as contemplated by the generosity of Grant Post, it was not perfectly clear that my appearance there would escape criticism if not censure."

PLEASANT OUTING.

The Highland Reading club spent a pleasant afternoon on Saturday, in the woods near Chelmsford Centre, a picnic with all the attendant features being the program. In the evening the members were entertained in a very agreeable manner by Miss Edith Harrison at her home in School street. Miss Harrison leaves for Nebraska on Wednesday, to spend the summer, and as she is a popular member of the club, the affair was in the nature of a farewell to her.

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Whatever you may need in Kitchen Furnishings, Screen Doors, Window Screens, Oil or Gas Stoves, today is your day to buy. You'll be surprised and pleased at the values we will offer you today—we ought to crowd our store when we offer values like the following:—

Screen Doors

89c qualities, today at.....69c Each
98c qualities, today at.....89c Each
$1.25 qualities, today at.....98c Each

Window Screens

25c qualities, today at.....19c Each
35c qualities, today at.....25c Each
49c qualities, today at.....35c Each

Oil Stoves

Two Burner Style, today at.....$1.25
One Burner Style, today at..... 69c
Oil Stove Tea Kettles, today at..... 19c

Gas Stoves

One Burner Style, today at..... 69c
Two Burner Style, today at..... 98c
Three Burner Style, today at.....$1.75
Oil or Gas Stove Ovens, today at..... 69c

Granite Steel Sauce Pans or Preserve Kettles

1 qt. size, regular 15c value, today at..... 10c
2 qt. size, regular 25c value, today at..... 19c
3 qt. size, regular 35c value, today at..... 25c
4 qt. size, regular 49c value, today at..... 35c

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100 Rolls of

NEW FLOOR MATTINGS

At Special Low Prices For Today's Sale

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Cotton Warp Matting in all-over designs, greens or blues, also plain white with inserted figures, 30c value, today at.....19c per Yard

Best White China Matting, same as retailed throughout the country from 40c to 45c per yard, today at .....33c per Yard

Best grades of Rice Matting, in very pretty designs, regular 50c quality, today at.....35c per Yard

A $2000 Stock of

FINE RUGS

At Reduced Prices for Today

9x12 Best Wilton Rugs, $37 quality, today at..$31.00
9x12 Brussel Rugs, $23 quality, today at.....$18.00
9x12 Best Smyrna Rugs, $21 quality, today at..$17.00
36x72 Best Axminster Rugs, $5 quality, today at $3.75
30x61 Best Smyrna Rugs, $1.75 quality, today at $1.29

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The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1904 was

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1905. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

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THE SUN'S PLATFORM

FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

1. ADOPT a new charter giving the mayor full power to appoint and remove at will, the heads of all city departments and members of all boards or commissions.

2. ABOLISH the common council and provide for a single legislative board of 27 aldermen, three from each ward.

3. CREATE public boards to have charge of streets, buildings, police, fire, pauper and water departments.

4. ANNEX portions of Dracut and Tewksbury, including the "Navy Yard" and the Andover road as far as the Hood farm.

5. ABOLISH the Merrimack street station and the grade crossings at Market, Thorndike and Middlesex streets and extend the northern station to Thorndike street.

6. BUILD a public hall and market on the White lot in Merrimack Square.

The men who went around circulating charges against Governor Douglas—some of them the beneficiaries of his official recognition—may now be sorry they spoke. The retirement of Douglas is not likely to prolong their retention in office.

WHO SPEAKS FOR THE ADMINISTRATION?

Where President Roosevelt favors fixing railroad rates and Secretary Morton says the railroads are all right; where Secretary Shaw of the treasury stands pat and Secretary Taft adopts the policy of buying canal materials in the cheapest market, it is difficult to say who or which represents the administration.

THE GUARD RAIL ON SINGLE TRACK LINES.

On single tracks there is little excuse for the side guard rail on electric cars. The rail in such cases is kept in use in order to guard against accidents due to people getting off or on the car when the conductor is not looking. It is easier to watch one side of the car than to watch both; but while the rail may have some slight preventive value, it is a great inconvenience to passengers as the end hog refuses to move over and the last who gets in must squeeze to the further end of the seat, and so it is if the person at the further end wants to get off. All the other passengers on the seat must be annoyed. There is also delay in getting in or out under such conditions. This delay and this inconvenience can be overcome by the removal of the side guard rail on single tracks where it is scarcely needed as a safeguard against accident.

THE DEFEAT OF RUSSIA.

The defeat of the Russian fleet, assuming that it is as severe as announced in the early despatches marks the beginning of the end of the war. The power that controls the sea in the war zone is the power that can win the battle on land. Russia's last hope hung upon the chances of a naval victory that might give her control of the sea and cripple the Japanese navy but with that gone, Russia may as well abandon the struggle. It will bring but fresh disaster to continue it longer. With the Baltic fleet smashed Japan can take Vladivostok and capture or annihilate the Russian army in Manchuria. In the interests of humanity the war should now be brought to a close.

GOOD GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.

The Good Government association of Boston issues a monthly pamphlet on city affairs and keeps to the front all the important issues that demand public attention. "City Affairs" in Boston is doing what the newspapers are doing in this city in a more extensive way.

At the present time what should engage public attention is the bringing to our city new industries; the welfare of the industries we have; the reduction of the tax-rate; the improvement of the real estate business; the adoption of an economic policy that will stop the ruinous practice of borrowing; the amendment of the city charter so as to centre responsibility and thus enable the people to hold somebody accountable for anything that goes wrong in any of the departments. With these reforms and the others included in The Sun's platform for the good of Lowell carried out, Lowell would boom as never before but reforms come very slowly unless there is unanimity of sentiment.

When half the people favor one scheme and most of the other half oppose it, progress will naturally be slow.

The public mind must be educated to the need of these changes; the inertia of the popular mind must be overcome before anything can be accomplished. The inertia is that inherent force that holds on to old conditions, that opposes change and clings to the old feeling that it is better to bear the ills we have than fly to those we know not of.

The Good Government association of Boston favors non-partisanship in politics; favors the selection of the best men regardless of party. Where partisanship works injury rather than benefit it should be rejected, but occasionally partisanship does a great deal of good in keeping one party to watch another.

In Philadelphia, for example, we see the republican party which claims to be the party of pure politics and clean government prostituted to the lowest depths for want of a healthy democratic opposition. The democrats of Philadelphia are a dead lot. Were it otherwise they would not allow such corruption to be practised by the party in power even if they were in the minority.

Therefore we say that if municipal government is bad, it does not follow that political partisanship is responsible. There are cases in which partisanship is responsible for abuses and other cases in which non-partisanship is responsible. What we must oppose is not partisanship or non-partisanship but abuses, extravagance, grafting and all the arts by which our city is robbed whether it be by uncollected taxes, by dishonest deals, by connivance at fraud and by the employment of drones who think the city owes them a living.

SEEN AND HEARD

The patron laid down a five dollar bill and picked up three cigars.

"How much?" asked the dealer.

"Four seventy-five," was the answer and a quarter change was laid down.

After the customer had gone the dealer explained that for more than five years he had not kept an account with his patron, since the patron kept the score in his head accurately. At the end of each week the customer would tell the amount of the account and settle up.

The nervous man had just met his friend who for some months past had been in retirement for his health.

"I have sometimes thought it might be a good thing for a man to go away for a while," he said, "and to get cured perhaps of habits that were gaining too strong a hold on him. I changed my opinion on the second part of that proposition, however, after I had an evening with a friend of mine who had just come back from a course of treatment.

"We were together in a cafe for an hour or more. During all that time he would, of course, not take a drink. Such a thing never occurred to him. But he would take some coffee. I think I had two Scotch highballs while we talked. I know he had seven pots of black coffee. There didn't seem to be much doubt that he had gotten over one habit. He had acquired another, however, that made it seem a standoff whether he had gained by the change."

"Have the boys of today changed their natures?" asked an elderly person as he stood watching a group of youngsters pitching pennies and playing craps on a street corner.

"When I was a lad we used to play all sorts of game, while the spirit of gambling which now seems to take hold of the youth was unknown. There were prisoner's base, black tom, tag, hide and seek and duck on the rock for the younger lads, while the older ones played par, or leapfrog or held competitive games. Marbles, tops, kites, each had its season.

"Of course, I know that the city is more built up now and then, but I lived in the lower part of the city and was handicapped even more than are our boys today, for we had no asphalt pavements.

"Another thing which seems lost to the boys of today is the joy of the smoking bean. This is a long seed pod, which grows on big trees about the city. When the pods dry out they are very smokable—at least we used to think so when I was a boy."

A peculiar argument is advanced by an eminent railroad official against President Roosevelt's determination to travel by regular scheduled trains, and to pay his own way. The railroads prefer to give him a special train and to carry him without charge. Not as a compliment to him personally; not as a tribute to his high office, and not as a favor given in hope of favors to be returned, but simply as a matter of business. The train which carries the president cannot possibly be run on regular scheduled time. The people gather at every station on the line, and wait patiently for the train to arrive that they may see the president and hear from him a few words, if nothing more, of friendly greeting. They cannot be denied, and to detain a regular train for their satisfaction would blockade the entire schedule from end to end. It is less costly for the railroads to put on a special train for the president which can be run to suit the requirements of his journey.

GAS LEASE FIGHT

Subject of Sermons by Many Ministers

PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—The gas lease fight of last week which resulted in the advocates of the proposition bowing to popular will by withdrawing the proposed lease from city councils, served as the text for many sermons in the Philadelphia churches yesterday. There were a few houses of worship where the sensational incidents of last week were not touched upon. The greater part of Mayor Weaver's day was taken up with religious duties. He attended divine services at Temple Baptist church in the forenoon and in the afternoon he taught his bible class at that church as usual.

During the exercises, informally opening the Sunday school session, the superintendent referred to the mayor and the part he took in the gas lease fight. Mr. Weaver was called upon to speak a few words.

That the fight of the mayor and the reform organizations against the republican organization will not stop with the abandonment of the gas lease proposition, appears to be a foregone conclusion. It is understood that the opponents of the organization will not demand that the city councils confirm the nominations of Col. Sheldon Potter and S. A. Lincoln Acker, the mayor's new directors.

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STEAMER ON FIRE

The Hamilton Returned to Port

NORFOLK, Va., May 29.—With fire raging in her forward hold and her crew exhausted from two hours and a half hard work, fighting the flames, the Old Dominion steamship Hamilton after leaving port for New York, returned to Norfolk at 3.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. There were no passengers aboard.

When the crew responded to the alarm it was found that it would be impossible to reach the fire without shifting the cargo. As much of this was done as was possible but Captain Boaz decided that it would not be safe for him to try to reach New York and it was impossible for him to put out the fire at sea, so he returned to Norfolk.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Sleep, Soldier, sleep! The clear notes of the bugle
Call thee no more to the heat of the fray.
Bright on thy resting place—grave of the hero—
Bloom the fair wreaths of Memorial Day.
Under the sod which thy life-blood has hallowed—
Under the flag you so long fought to save—
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! God watches thy slumber—
A nation pays homage today to the brave.

Soldier in Blue who gave life for the Union;
Soldier of Southland who fought in the Gray—
God has decided the right of your struggles—
Under one flag you are sleeping today.
Garlands of laurel and garlands of willow
Strew we today on the graves of our dead—

Sleep, Soldier, sleep! For thy warfare is over—
Rest thee in peace in thy flower-strewn bed.
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! O'er thy grave in the jungle
Love stands on guard through the lone hours of night;
Honor stands guard through the heat of the noonday—
You who have died for your God and the right.
Millions will kneel in deep prayer for the hero
Giving his life for humanity's sake.
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! Thou hast died for thy brother—
Sleep till God's reveille bids thee awake.

Sleep, Soldier, sleep! The bright flag of the Union
Still proudly floats o'er the land and the sea;
Beacon of hope to the world's toiling peoples;
Banner of truth and the Flag of the Free.
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! The flowers of springtime
Lay we today on thy low, narrow bed.
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! For the hands of the living
Garland today all the nation's brave dead.

WILL M. MAUPIN.

WHITE WON.

BOSTON, May 27—Alverz L. White won the individual golf championship of Harvard university today, defeating W. F. Harrison 3 up in the second 18 holes of the final match, played at the Oakley country club. Yesterday afternoon White took the first half of the match by 1 up.

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DAILY SAYINGS.

To know one profession only, is enough for one man to know. —Goldsmith.

TWO LIVES LOST

Drowning Accidents in Spy Pond

ARLINGTON, Mass., May 29.—Two drowning accidents occurred in different parts of Spy pond about the same time yesterday afternoon, the victims being:

DANIEL BANNISTER, 21 years old, of Somerville.

ALLEN PATTERSON, 17, of North Cambridge.

Bannister was in a boat not far from the shore about 4 o'clock, when the boat by some means was capsized. His body was recovered about 6 o'clock.

While the police were dragging for Bannister's body, they were notified that Patterson, who was alone in a canoe, had fallen into the pond and drowned. His body was taken from the water two hours later. Both were unmarried.

COTTON INDUSTRIES CONTRASTED.

A great rebound was naturally to be anticipated from the violent depression caused by the manipulations of the American cotton speculators and the fears of a short crop. A rise in the price of an article of universal consumption such as cotton tends to bring more land under cotton cultivation, and thus to augment future crops, so that, as in the case of sugar, scarcity will not as a rule last for long. That is, of course, leaving out of account such possibilities as to the organization of the planters to restrict the quantity produced, which have in the case of the United States to be taken into serious account. The fact that the estimate of the present crop greatly exceeds all calculations, and is nearer 13,000,000 bales than the 11,000,000 at which it was at one time placed, has naturally led to a heavy fall in the price. With the fall in price has come a great rush of orders to fill the depleted warehouses of the merchants, and as Lancashire has the skilled labor, machinery, and organization, her manufacturers have secured the lion's share of the trade. Her profits have been suddenly increased, compensating her for heavy losses during the period when cotton was daily rising in price.

A further influence which has operated in favor of the British manufacturer has been the strike at the great Fall River mills in the United States, which disabled temporarily one of the country's most formidable competitors. It is also possible that in the far east the Japanese industry has been to some extent disorganized by the concentration of the nation's attention upon the war, thus leaving the China market open to British trade. In India the recovery from the famine has given the people more to spend, and they appear to be spending it in buying English cottons. Yet it should never be forgotten by Lancashire that the open market in India exists simply and solely by reason of the British rule of that country, for were the peoples of India left to their own free choice they would, without any doubt, impose a tariff, and a tariff without the countervailing excise which now exists, and which is in the highest degree unpopular with our fellow subjects. Even in China there might today have been no open market but for the prowess of Japan and the support which her long series of victories has given to British policy.

Upon the horizon is still a cloud—a small cloud, it is true, but one which may be the cause of trouble if precautions against its bursting are not taken in time. This is the steady growth of the consumption of cotton in the United States. From a yearly average of 856,000,000 pounds in 1881-1885, the demand of the American manufacturer rose to 1,884,000 pounds in 1901-02, while the American crop has not expanded in proportion. If the cotton planters can be induced to restrict their output, or if this demand at home for their product continues to increase, there may be difficulties for Lancashire hereafter. The best course would be by all possible means to augment the area under the cotton plant within the British empire.—London Daily Mail, March 11.

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WHEN I SHALL KNOW MY OWN.

(By C. A. Littlefield.)

Doubtful and troubled I wander on the barren shore alone.
My soul in vain is calling for its mate my mind hath known.
Under the star gemmed heavens I gaze on the moon-lit sea.
"Perhaps" from over the rolling waste, my own will come to me.
I searched the forest's dim retreat, where never shines the sun.
I have sought it in the busy streets, where wealth is lost and won.
I have lingered in vain mid the shadows beneath each giant tree.
In fruitless quest for that dreamland face, my own comes not to me.

I have sailed the ocean's wide expanse, where keel hath ever been.
Searched isles that blossomed as the rose whose leaves are ever green.
My doubting heart has faltered oft upon this endless race.
'Tis "vain" I cannot find my own that they may know my face.

Perhaps far off in solar space on some star that's there at rest.
I may abate my longing, finding balm for my troubled breast.
Where the waters of life make music on shores of pearl-like stone.
There soul to soul we may meet at last, and I shall know my own.

Eugene, the eldest son of Charles E. McCarthy of the Lowell Packing and Provision Co. graduated this week from Burdett College of Boston with high honor, having attained an average rank of 59 1-3 per cent. Eugene has many friends who wish him success in his future career.

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But you would not cling to His guiding hand,
If the way were always bright;
And you would not care to walk by faith,
Could you always walk by sight.

'Tis true He has many an anguish
For your sorrowful heart to hear,
And many a cruel thorn-crown
For your tired head to wear;
He knows how few would reach heaven at all
If pain did not guide them there.

So He sends you the blinding darkness,
And the furnace of seven-fold heat;
'Tis the only way, believe me,
To keep you close to His feet,
For 'tis always so easy to wander
When our lives are glad and sweet.

Then nestle your hand in your Father's
And sing if you can, as you go;
Your song may cheer some one behind you
Whose courage is sinking low;
And, well, if your lips do quiver—
God will love you better so.

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ROLL OF THE DEAD

Read by the Local G. A. R. Posts Yesterday

ROYAL S. RIPLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE DAY.

Memorial Exercises at First Congregational Church -- Rev. E. Victor Bigelow the Orator of the Day--Large Turnout of the G. A. R. Veterans

The annual Grand Army memorial service by the three G. A. R. posts of Lowell was held in the First Congregational church, Sunday afternoon. The death roll showed that 25 members of the little band of survivors, whose ranks are being thinned by response to the last roll call, had gone hence since the last preceding Memorial day and the orators of the day spoke sympathetically yet in glowing terms of the men who had crossed the river. They told of the glorious patriotism of the men whose minds and muscles answered to the bugle blast, and who by their many sacrifices assisted in bridging over the chasm that yawned between the north and the south.

ROLL OF THE DEAD.

The names of the veterans who died during the year are as follows:

POST 42.

Maurice Roark, private Co. D, 39 Mass. Infantry, died Oct. 2, 1904, age 83.

Leander Shaw, private, Co. D, 30 Maine Infantry, died Oct. 16, 1904, age 67.

John W. Tilton, private, 15 Mass. battery, died Oct. 19, 1904, age 61.

James McDermott, private, Co. H, 33 Mass. Infantry, died Nov. 22, 1904, age 76.

P. C. Michael H. McCue, seaman U. S. navy, died Dec. 7, 1904, age 66.

John Shortall, private, Co. H, 6th Mass. Infantry, died Jan. 22, 1905, age 75.

Daniel Lyons, private, Co. H, 39 Mass. Infantry, died Oct. 8, 1904, age 70.

Philip A. Smith, saddler, troop G, 32, Mass. Cavalry, died Feb. 6, 1905, age 82.

Owen H. Savage, private, Co. G, 6th Mass. Infantry, died May 10, 1905, age 71.

POST 120.

Wm. H. Green, private, Co. A, 44th regiment Mass. volunteers, died Nov. 26, 1904, age 76 years.

Charles P. Cutter, private, Co. I, 60th regiment N. Y. volunteers, died Feb. 27, 1905, age 62 years.

POST 185.

Orrington A. Wilkins, private, Co. G., 14th Maine, died June 20, 1904.

Clarendon Goodwin, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died June 23, 1904.

George T. Woodward, Sergt.-Co. B, 13th N. H., Capt. Co. E 30 U. S. Colorado Infantry, died July 2, 1904.

Edward A. Robinson, third assistant engineer U. S. N., died July 16, 1904.

Riley Davis, private, Co. B, 17th Mass., died July 17, 1904.

Daniel C. Wheeler, Corp. Co. D, 53rd Mass., died Aug. 1, 1904.

William A. Kneeland, private, Co. H, 7th Vt., died Sept. 28, 1904.

James Collin, private, Co. K, 5th Mass., died Dec. 25, 1904.

Charles D. Washburn, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died Feb. 11, 1905.

Fred A. Baron, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died April 17, 1905.

Benj. F. Sargent, musician, Ohio light artillery, died April 19, 1905.

Charles C. Foss, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died May 2, 1905.

William Bowie, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died May 9, 1905.

James Leach, private, Co. H, 18th Mass., died May 12, 1905.

Colonel Royal S. Ripley was chairman of the day and the orator was Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. The musical program was elaborate and inspiring. The opening and closing numbers of the program were sung by the full choir of the First Baptist church, the American orchestra, E. J. Borjes, leader, accompanying. "Onward, Christian Soldiers," was sung in the opening, and in closing "America" was sung. There were selections by a male quartet consisting of Messrs. Frank S. Cass, Harry A. Hopkins, Fred C. M. Silk and Joseph Faulcon. Mrs. W. H. Pepin sang a solo, accompanied by the full orchestra. Ministers assisting in the exercises were Rev. E. P. Herrick of the Worthen Street M. E. church, Rev. R. E. Beard, D. D. of Cambridge, and Rev. C. E. Fisher of the First Universalist church.

The adjutants of the three posts read the roll of the dead. The veterans occupied seats in the centre and to the left of the platform, and members of the women's organizations affiliated with the posts had seats in the rear of the platform.

MAYOR CASEY.

After the opening exercises, including the reading of the roll of the dead, Mayor Casey was introduced and spoke in part as follows:

Beneath the folds of the starry flag we love so well, the flag which symbolizes liberty and justice, the flag for which you fought and bled, the flag whose stars guided heavenward the eyes of your dying comrades—under that flag we assemble to honor the memory and pay tribute to the gallant men who laid down their lives to defend the indissoluble unity of the states, and keep under one flag the country whose liberty was won by the heroism and self-sacrifice of the early patriots whose achievements brighten the pages of American history.

Each recurring observance of Memorial day brings with it fewer veterans, and more graves to decorate. Many are absent who were with you a year ago, and some of you who will decorate the graves of the dead may be numbered among the departed ones next year. Death must claim us all; there is no escape. You may conquer armies, you may subdue nations, but you can never master Death, the conqueror of all things earthly. You fought well and nobly; if you have lived as well you need have no fear of death.

Memorial Day teaches one grand lesson—the lesson of patriotism. An entire nation, a reunited country, shows its appreciation of the invaluable service rendered by the Grand Army of the Republic. No truer test of love of country can be found than in one's willingness to give up his life for his country.

That the nation does not forget its noble defenders was strikingly shown only a few weeks ago when the greatest city of the land took charge of the body of the last survivor of the war of 1812, paid every mark of respect to his memory, and after one of the grandest military funerals ever seen tenderly placed his ashes at rest. Not only the city, but the state and nation honored him in death. God grant that it will be many, many years before this nation will be called upon to show its appreciation of the services of the last survivor of the Civil war.

Members of the Grand Army, for most of you fighting days are over; but younger and more active men, inspired by your example, are ready to uphold the honor of the country. That love of country you manifested in war is with you still, and on all questions affecting the interests of the United States we can depend upon the old soldier to act with an exalted patriotism, his sole aim being the best interests of his beloved country.

When Mayor Casey had finished, and before introducing Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, the orator of the day, Col. Ripley reviewed, briefly, the work of the G. A. R. posts in Lowell. Benjamin F. Butler Post, 42, was instituted in 1868, with 100 members. It gathered some 600 more, making a total of about 678 members. It has lost, by death and other means, more than 563 of the old comrades, leaving at the present time, only 115 active members.

James A. Garfield Post, 120, was instituted in 1881, with 105 members. It gained 315, making a total of 420. They have at present only 110 active members.

Ladd and Whitney Post, 185, was chartered in 1886, with 200 members. It has had a total number upon its roster of 315. It has lost by death 135, and has a present membership of 180. The total membership of the three posts is now only 405 men, and many of these are so old and feeble that they cannot possibly attend the Memorial Day exercises.

The money received by the three posts and paid out in benefits is far in excess of $100,000. Post 42 has the honor of raising and expending the greatest amount, more than $60,000. Post 120 now has nearly $3000 on hand, Post 185 has $1500, and Post 42 has practically none, having expended all that it had.

REV. E. VICTOR BIGELOW, ORATOR OF THE DAY.

REV. E. VICTOR BIGELOW.

Rev. E. Victor Bigelow spoke in part as follows:

"Fifty years ago, violent hands were laid upon our nation to tear it apart. But this nation is not common cotton cloth. It is a living fabric that has in it nerves and veins and arteries, which will bleed and which will perish if torn asunder. You know, and all knew in those days, that had their eyes open, that we must have, as the immortal Webster declared, the union now and forever, one and inseparable.

"Your rising was not sudden. It was not quick and flashy and fickle. It came slow, but it came sure. It came through successive generations, and it culminated when it was wanted. And when we heard the news that Fort Sumter had been stormed, then it was that you rose like a tidal wave, higher and higher, until there was nothing that was able to stand before you, and you swept forever off the face of the earth, the insurrection that arose in the south of our nation. Lowell's honor is everlasting. In that some of her loyal sons were first to go. The names of Luther C. Ladd and Addison O. Whitney were the pride of Lowell. They were no better than you, but it was their fortune to be named in this tragic moment.

"The private soldier was the effective force of our army. There are people who speak about the war as though no one but the generals did anything. It was what the generals failed to do, that caused our most humiliating and conspicuous failures. It was not, however, that our generals were weak, but that Lee was so mightily strong. It kept Lincoln hunting, day after day, for somebody that could match him; and every man in turn proved himself inadequate, until finally Grant came to match him."

The exercises closed with benediction by Rev. R. E. Beard and the postlude by the orchestra.

CHELMSFORD STREET BAPTIST.

Mr. Gardner Wills occupied the pulpit yesterday morning, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. E. Kenyon. In honor of Memorial Sunday the church was prettily decorated with flags, and Mr. Wills in a brief introduction referred to the significance of the day. His subject was "Power," the text being: "But ye shall receive power after that the Holy Ghost shall have come upon you," Acts 1:8. Mr. Wills spoke in part as follows: Nothing in this world goes by itself. It is governed by human ingenuity; there is the power of steam or electricity back of the machinery, and so back of all human machinery and effort is the unseen power of God, which we will never fully realize until we come before Him in heaven; But there are conditions to be complied with if we would reach there; have we obeyed His commands? Some Christians try to get to heaven by the easiest way, putting no effort into the attempt, but to be successful one must put his life's best effort into the determination to serve God; for we can't get any true knowledge of religion until we get in our own hearts. Jesus comes to His disciples now, but they do not recognize it because they are not in prayer nor watching for Him. When Christ is within we have new desires and new purposes. Love covers all the commandments, first love to God, and then to our fellow men.

At the close of the sermon, Mr. Wills read a letter from Mrs. A. L. Russell and family, thanking the church and Sunday school for the floral tributes sent to Mr. Russell's funeral. The speaker eulogized the late Mr. Russell, in very eloquent words, as one who had done much for the extension of God's kingdom, and speaking particularly of his work for this church. The congregation and choir united in singing "Face to Face," in memory of the deceased. Supt. Thorne in the Sunday school also spoke feelingly of the interest taken in the school by Mr. Russell.

The music was by the full chorus choir in the morning, and a cantata, entitled "The World for Christ" was given in the evening, under the direction of Mrs. Dodge and Mrs. Russell Wills.

G. A. R. MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

Over 40 members of Post 185, G. A. R., and members of Circle 5, Ladies of G. A. R., attended the Memorial day services at the Worthen Street M. E. church Sunday morning. Rev. E. P. Herrick preached a sermon that was historical and patriotic. He found his inspiration in the book of Exodus, chapter 14, "The day shall be for you a Memorial."

ST. PAUL'S M. E.

General Adelbert Ames command, U. S. W. V., and the Edith Prescott Wolcott Ladies' Auxiliary, attended the services at St. Paul's M. E. church Sunday morning. The Spanish war veterans marched to the church, in a body, from Memorial hall. Rev. George B. Dean preached.

THE ELIOT CHURCH.

Patriotic services were held at the Eliot church Sunday morning. The services were attended by the Union Veterans' union, Wauhatchie Command, No. 16, and daughters of veterans, Mary E. Smith Tent, No. 33, and the Sons of Veterans, Admiral Farragut camp No. 78, accompanied by their Ladies' Auxiliary No. 37.

PAWTUCKET CHURCH.

A well attended memorial service was held at the Pawtucket church last night. Rev. E. R. Smith spoke on the subject, "The Boys of '61."

A chorus choir and a quartet furnished the vocal music.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST.

Rev. Robert F. True spoke to two large congregations yesterday at the Immanuel Baptist church and special memorial sermons and special music appropriate to the day were given. In the morning the pastor's topic was "Some Lessons from the Lives of Dead Heroes," and in the evening the subject, "The Whole Armor of God."

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Kazanglan, who is charged with the same offense as Mavarian, it being alleged that he was an accessory, was out on bail and his case was also continued, the bail being placed at $2000.

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Kate Clyde

Rebukes the Woman Who Is "Gushy" and Oversentimental---The Poor Taste of Exaggeration. The Woman Who Makes a "Sissy" of Her Son---Timely Hints on the Fashions of Summer

WHO has not wished there was some institution for pruning the speech of overfervid young women?

"Have you seen Hackett's new play? Isn't he a dear? I think that part where he escapes from his enemies and kills three men is simply delicious! Don't you just love the theater? I'm simply wild about it. I think I'd die if anything happened to prevent my going next Saturday." And so forth and so on, crescendo.

"Don't you just love the theater?"

The worst I ever heard was in a restaurant last winter. Two girls were eating some indigestible thing with paper frills around it when a third girl joined them.

"Isn't it a cold day?" remarked one of the damsels who was sitting at the table as she yawned.

The newcomer fairly beamed. "Yes, isn't it a darling?" she gurgled as she rubbed her cold hands together.

And a man at a nearby table almost had a fit.

It is noticeable, too, that the women who exaggerate in speech exaggerate also in dress. Their hats poke forward most, their pompadours are the largest or, when pompadours are out of style, their buns contain more switches than other women's. Their neck ruches are stiffer, higher and more full of ruffles, and even their collars are more "choky." If there is a new fad or style they simply rush it to death. In fact, whether silent or talking, they are irrepressible.

As to Sentimentality.

The strongest argument in favor of co-education to my mind is contained in some of the college girls' stories which have been published recently. I never read anything quite so foolish. Are girls really such silly compounds of false ideas about life, midnight fudge and sickly sentimentality?

Men may be brutal when left to themselves, but girls confined to their own society certainly become "mushy."

Sentimentality! Heaven preserve us from it! It's one variety of this sickly sentimental "idealizing" woman who nearly has a fit when her boy fights another boy even if the latter has been bullying the life out of him. What knowledge he gets of the manly art of self defense I can assure you he gets on the sly away from home, for his mother believes in "moral suasion," "the power of kindness" and in his being "a little gentleman" which, I am sorry to say, means in nine cases out of ten where a small boy is concerned being a "sissy."

It is this sort of female that prompted the remark of a mere man the other day, "I wonder why some women seem to think it the mark of true womanliness to be narrow minded and cowardly?"

Rather strong language, but he had just been visiting a household where the sweet womanly nature of the mother was making both a sneak and a coward of her hopeful son and heir, who unfortunately for himself had no father to counteract the impractical atmosphere in which he was brought up.

Thank goodness, the Lord Fauntleroy fad is over, but if it should come into fashion again I am sure there would be enough foolish mothers left to trick their sons in curls and sashes and make their lives a misery on account of the ridicule of their playmates.

What women need even in this practical age is more even nerves, a broader way of looking at things and less sentimentality.

Colors That Shout.

Some of the new colors are—well, loud is not even a strong enough word. The greens and reds are particularly explosive. They have a trick, too, of changing by gaslight so that a shade of

"Isn't it a darling?"

red, for instance, that was perfectly well behaved in the daytime assumes bricky hues when illumined by gas or electric light, making you grind your teeth whenever you look at it. Certainly danger lurks in the red tailor made, for all that it is so fashionable. If you get too dark a shade you look too hot for summer; if you get too light a shade the effect is bricky. The best tint is that which goes with American Beauty roses.

Openwork voile over checked lining is among the smart fads of the season. It is made up in fancy suits with little short coats trimmed with straps of the checked silk and short, puffed sleeves ending in a band of the same silk. A wide checked silk girdle is often worn also, and this is decorated with tiny red buttons to go with the suit.

If you are going traveling this summer you must by all means have one of the smart silk waterproof coats. Gray is the prettiest color, as it catches the light beautifully.

A Beautiful Fabric.

There is a new material for evening gowns. It is somewhat on the order of panne velvet, except that it is coated with some semimetallic substance which makes it glisten. It is perfectly beautiful in white, and the glistening substance with which it is coated gives it an iridescent effect like moonlight. I should like to see a gown of this description made perfectly plain in princess fashion, with perhaps a semi-transparent yoke of chiffon and tiny seed pearl embroidery. If worn by a brunette or a red haired woman it would be stunning.

She nearly has a fit when her boy fights.

Have I told you how many princess dresses are being worn here in New York? You see them not only at private houses, but at the theater, in restaurants and even for ordinary street wear.

A well known Fifth avenue firm of dressmakers has just finished an iron gray silk princess dress very simply made and trimmed only with beautifully stitched strappings of the same silk and a little chemisette and cuffs of white tucking. This is to be used for utility wear—shopping, driving, etc. —and it can be worn with perfect propriety all day long.

Another gown I admired very much was made by the same firm. The material was white chiffon voile. The cut was, again, princess. The fullness of the bust was brought into fine tucks at the waist line, and the skirt was made in three tiers, joined together by cording. The sole trimming was composed of medallions of German valenciennes. The material was so sheer that it gave the effect of a rich batiste.

Batiste Frocks.

A great many batiste frocks will also be made in one piece and worn over slips of pale blue or pale pink. There is no prettier style than this for a young girl or a young woman. A simple silk frock is a summer necessity. There are times when a tailor made is out of place and an elaborate gown uncalled for. Then you want a pretty green, old rose or lavender silk with a guimpe effect and a trimming consisting of a few bits of white lace. There is no reason why a dress of this sort may not be attempted successfully at home. Inexpensive foulard or chiffon taffeta at 58 cents a yard is plenty good enough. Make the sleeves elbow length and allow the white puff of the guimpe to show a good bit.

I particularly approve of silks in the soft tones of lavender and pale green, as they look cool and dainty on a warm day and may easily be matched to parasols, which is more than may be said of a good many of the new rose shades.

The well dressed woman, you know, always bears in mind the question of accessories when buying material for a costume.

KATE CLYDE.

New York.

BRETELLE EVENING FROCK.

This evening frock is of violet chiffon. Straight ruffles of the material finished with shirred headings trim the skirt. A novel feature of the skirt is the flight of deep violet velvet pompadour bows trimming the ruffles at the back seam. The bodice is a bloused affair covered with shirred bretelles. The puffed sleeves are ornamented with pompadour bows. The girdle is of violet velvet.

WOMAN'S GRIT IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY.

FOLLOWING are a few facts gleaned from current news dispatches. They show what the woman sex has evolved into and is today. They do not need any comment. They are their own comment:

Miss Lena Neuscheler found a man in her room stealing her jewels and money. She grappled with him and held him with all her might. He twisted and turned and shook and tried to jiu jitsu her, but ne'er a jiu jitsu. It wouldn't work. With all the power of her strong young arms she clung to him and called to her father. The girl's mother telephoned for the police. The girl ordered the burglar to place a chair in the corner and sit down upon it. The fellow was so taken by surprise that he obeyed. He took from his pocket a large roll of money and offered it to her if she would let him go. She refused, and just then the police entered and took charge of her burglar.

Next: A young lady of Brooklyn saw a runaway horse plunging madly forward, dragging a carriage, which whirled this way and that, threatening death and destruction. A dozen men witnessed the dangerous situation, but none moved. The young lady rushed from the sidewalk to the street and just as the crazy horse dashed by caught him by the bridle and held on like steel. The horse pulled her forward with him, but still she clung to the bridle, which fortunately did not give way, and by the time he had dragged her twenty feet he was mastered and stopped by the young heroine.

She would not give her name, but said she was a schoolteacher, then laughingly remarked that she hadn't done anything to speak of and went her way.

Again: Fire suddenly broke out in a city apartment house containing fifty families. The alarm was given. Many men and some women in the house were scared crazy, thinking of the peril to their own precious lives. Miss Lillian Schnell, telephone operator in the house, snatched the fire extinguishers and used them, called up the fire department, broke in doors to warn families that did not know of the flames and finally ran the elevator through the heat and smoke till she had carried men, women and babies safe to the ground.

"Danger always acts as a stimulant to my nerves," said Miss Schnell.

A married couple—well, say they were Mr. and Mrs. Blankey—had been very fond of athletics when they were sweethearts. After their marriage the husband kept up the athletics and on a certain occasion when he felt hilarious tried to practice on his wife. He raised so great a disturbance that neighbors rushed in to see what he was about. They found his wife calmly tying him to a chair. He had begun to smash things, then attacked her. She had promptly knocked him over and laid him out. She next tied him to the chair, sent for a policeman to put him in a place of safety till he got sober, then went home to her mother to wait till that happened. In the police court Mr. Blankey said he had had enough and wouldn't undertake athletic performances at home again.

With a ten pound turkey which she had just brought home from market for a weapon Mrs. Jacobs knocked down a thief whom she found robbing her house. He jumped up and ran, Mrs. Jacobs after him, banging him with the turkey and yelling for the police till the officers secured him. The turkey was spoiled, however.

Two women, Mrs. Kunze and Mrs. Holmes, chased a robber over the roofs of several tenement houses till they got near enough for Mrs. Kunze to whack him over the head with her clothes stick, after which the women followed him up so closely that they captured him and turned him over to the police.

In North Carolina a noted tough had long persecuted Mrs. Phillips, a highly respected young married woman, with his attentions. At length one day she ordered him from her premises. He refused to go, but approached her in a violent and threatening manner. She raised a shotgun and told him if he came over her fence she would shoot him. He did come, and she emptied the contents of the gun into his body. He dropped dead, a warning to all "mashers."

KATHERINE BLADES.

A MODISH SUMMER HAT.

The hat illustrated is of pale yellow chip. A bandeau covered with shaded nasturtiums placed at the side gives the tilt which fashion requires in her up to date millinery creations.

The crown is formed of nasturtiums and their foliage. Raising this floral trimming a little at one side are two large Marshal Neil roses. A black aigret also gives height and graceful lines to the hat. Black velvet faces the brim.

WOMAN, THE CONSOLER.

What a consoler is woman! No presence but hers can so win a man from his sorrow, make placid the knit brow and wreath the stern lips into a smile. The soldier becomes a lightsome boy at her feet, the anxious statesman smiles himself back to the free hearted youth beside her, and the still and shaded countenance of care brightens beneath her influence.

Helen Campbell

AUTHOR, LECTURER AND SOCIOLOGIST

IF we could have chosen our own grandmothers we might have amounted to something. Helen Campbell and other noted sociological workers have discovered that, next to this impossible achievement of choosing our own grandparents, the best thing to do is to train the grandparents of the future so that their descendants will have no grudge at them. This can be done by catching the coming grandparent, especially the coming grandmother, sufficiently young.

Mrs. Campbell has found that the great poverty evil, particularly with her own sex, is largely due to absolute lack of industrial training. Thousands of mothers cannot even wash a child's

HELEN CAMPBELL.

neck and ears, only smear them. This woman who has done such solid, telling work for her day and generation observes concerning the remedy for poverty:

"I may say that I care most for industrial education as a possible solution of the problem—the kindergarten for the beginners, to be followed by progressive industrial training. This, understand me, for the rich as well as for the poor. They should be trained side by side when they are young. If this were done there could never be the awful divorce of interests that comes afterward."

In general, Mrs. Campbell finds the schools of the west much better than those in the east.

It was her love of children, to start with, that helped evolve Helen Campbell into both writer and sociologist. She was born in Lockport, N. Y., and her maiden name was Helen Stuart, her father descended from clan Stuart of bonnie Scotland. In childhood she began to tell stories to children to entertain them.

"I always told stories to children—all my days," she says.

Telling children's stories with the pen naturally followed. The girl became a contributor to various periodicals for young people. The next step was writing whole books of child stories. Eight of these followed one another rapidly.

Meantime Helen Stuart had become Mrs. Campbell. Her husband was an army surgeon. With him from post to post, if not from pillar to post, army life fashion, wandered Mrs. Campbell, camping, not really living, now here, now there, crisscrossing North America over and over again. She was sometimes in places where no white woman had been before. But all the time the quick eye and alert brain of the story teller were taking notes and studying the relations of facts.

One night eighteen years ago Helen Campbell visited the famous "Jerry McAuley's mission" in New York city. "That night a champion for the wage earner was made." Misery such as was uncovered to her mind at Jerry McAuley's mission was something she had never known of before. She could not get away from it. She went and lived in the midst of it for some time, studying conditions and means of relieving them.

The child stories were interrupted. Henceforth Helen Campbell was to be a sociological writer and worker. After dwelling among the poverty stricken, the ignorant and the helpless—helpless because ignorant—she wrote a monograph on the "Problem of the Poor." A novel, "Mrs. Herndon's Income," quickly followed this. It, too, dealt with the problem of the poor. The editor of a leading New York newspaper read the book. He sent for Mrs. Campbell and asked her to write a series of letters for his journal on the condition of the poor and how to alleviate it. The result was the appearance of a remarkable set of papers called "Prisoners of Poverty." A yet wider field opened for the author, and she went to Europe and wrote another set, "Prisoners of Poverty Abroad." During that trip she investigated especially the situation among the hapless women wage earners of the old world. This was in 1889.

After her return from abroad she continued writing novels and essays. In 1893 she read a paper at the Chicago world's labor congress. Thereupon Professor Richard T. Ely wrote her to come to the University of Wisconsin as special lecturer. This she did, having the post of assistant professor in the department of economics. She was also continually studying, mastering details and statistics. Naturally, being a woman, household economics claimed her attention. She wrote, studied and experimented. "One must marry one's economic theory to experience before it can be of any value," she remarks. Mrs. Campbell has been called the mother of scientific household economics, which she has studied in both Europe and America.

Mrs. Campbell's book "Household Economics" was published in 1896. It is full of fact, science and practical instruction, the result of observation and experiences on both sides of the Atlantic. One of the foreign notes is this: "There are towns in Holland where even the stables are scrubbed daily, and a wandering fly or a particle of dust is attacked with passionate zeal. Yet indoors every principle of personal hygiene is violated at every turn."

In the preparation of the volume "Household Economics" Mrs. Campbell received valuable aid from her friend, Charlotte Perkins Gilman. The two wrought together for a time in Chicago in conjunction with Jane Addams of Hull House. The three friends, all in close sympathy, form a trio of women social reformers the like of which cannot be found in any other land.

Mrs. Campbell was a professor for some years in the agricultural college of Kansas university, in the department of economics. She has written many books, novels and others, all having more or less the ethical and economic trend. A little more than a year ago in a fire at Greenacre, Me., were destroyed documents, statistical and otherwise, invaluable to this brave writer and logical thinker. Among the papers were two books ready for publication. The loss was irreparable, yet courageous Helen Campbell began all over again. At present she is writing another novel.

She is as well acquainted with what is called social settlement work as any one living. She considers that the enterprise of this kind nearest perfection is the Boston Civic House, where young foreigners are taught to become intelligent American citizens. From among the immigrant children of poverty befriended in that house have gone out Italian, Russian Jew and other boys to fill honorable places. Some of them are now Harvard college students. Note what this clear headed student of sociology says of woman's clubs—and men's, too, for that matter:

"I want to live to see the day when the organizations of women shall be completed and outgrown. We need organizations of men and women, and I think the time is not far distant when we shall be ready for them. Then we shall not have congresses of men and congresses of women, but assemblies of men and woman working together for the good of all."

But an irreverent feminine doubter suggests that in this case the men would do all the talking and elect themselves to all the offices.

CHARLOTTE M. LAMBERT.

PRINCESS MARGARET, FIANCEE OF THE SWEDISH CROWN PRINCE.

Most notable of royal matches in many a year is that arranged between Gustavus Adolphus, crown prince of Sweden and Norway, and Princess Margaret of Connaught. The wedding will probably not take place till next year. The bride, daughter of the Duke of Connaught, granddaughter of Queen Victoria and niece of King Edward, is one of the handsomest of the younger members of the British royal family. The gallant young bridegroom to be is a great-great-grandson of the beautiful and fascinating yet unhappy Empress Josephine of France. The daughter of Eugene Beauharnais, duke of Leuchtenberg, was the mother of King Oscar of Sweden and Norway, who is young Gustavus' grandfather. By the marriage of Prince Gustavus Adolphus and Princess Margaret, therefore, will be mingled the blood of Empress Josephine and that of the British royal family. Princess Margaret has the round, plump face of her grandmother, Queen Victoria.

AN ABSENTMINDED FARMER.

A farmer and his wife went one day to the nearest town, some twenty miles distant, to buy a few things of which they stood in need. After purchasing, the good lady left her husband to pay a hurried visit to an old school friend. The farmer, thinking it time to leave for home, checked the articles with his list. "Tea, yes; coffee, yes; ax, yes; nails, yes; flour, yes. Seems all right, but I can't help thinking there is something else." Not being able to remember what it was, he started, being filled all the way with the thought that he had left something behind. Again he ran through the list of his purchases, and again everything appeared to be all right. On arriving at the farm his little daughter came out from the house. "Why, father," said she, "where's mother?" Then he knew what it was he had left.

KEEPING THE FACE FAIR.

The twentieth century is not conducive to reposeful or unlined faces. The stifling atmosphere of crowded drawing rooms or theaters is in itself very bad, clogging up the pores of the skin and drying it up, and it is always therefore beneficial to cleanse the face at night, afterward applying a pure cream before retiring, though the morning is by rights the proper time for massage. All the movements must be very gentle, yet firm withal, never stretching the outer skin, but letting the pressure be felt underneath; also all the movements must be outward and upward, from the middle of the forehead and bridge of the nose toward the temples, from the nostrils to the tips of the ears, and then gradually working as far as the neck and throat, where the upward movements begin. The massage should be completed by gentle circular rubbing on the hollows of the temples, cheeks and under chin.

Where it is possible apply steaming in the Russian manner—that is to say, apply a pure grease to the face before the steam is used. This same idea is to be recommended before taking a Turkish bath or even an ordinary one, as it prevents the skin becoming too dry or in some cases baggy. The massage completed, a good skin tonic should be sprayed on and the face fanned to dry it. The great thing to remember is to be careful of the quality of everything used—as, for instance, certain undesirable ingredients in skin foods may cause superfluous hair. Above everything, it is essential to cultivate repose of features.

If a finger has been pounded or crushed plunge it into water as hot as can be borne. This will relieve the pain more than anything else.

GOWN OF PARIS MUSLIN.

The simple little gown illustrated is of white Paris muslin. The skirt is fluffily trimmed with alternate rows of tiny ruffles of the muslin headed by groups of tucks. The decollete waist is shirred about the round neck, and two ruffles of tiny real valenciennes lace are run between the lines of stitching. The high puffed sleeves finish with several lace ruffles.

FALL RIVER WON

Knew When to Hit the Ball

LOWELL MADE TWO BAD ERRORS

Merritt Caught a Nice Game Saturday

Martin Mack wore a glad smile as the cars which came to Spalding park Saturday afternoon stopped and hundreds of people approached the box office and bought tickets. The attendance was the best of the season, it being nearly 2000.

Owing to the injury to Anderberg's finger there was a change in the line-up. Merritt took Anderberg's place and caught, while Bigbie went down to first base and Tierney filled in at right field.

Captain Willey and "Old Sport" had a hot argument before the game started, in which the spectators also took part and it was decided that the argument was a draw.

After half an hour's practice Umpire Kerins called time at 3 o'clock.

FIRST INNING.

Fall River was first to bat and Kiernan filed out to Grant. O'Hara hit to left field for a single. Bowcock foul flied out to Merritt. Gulheen closed the inning by flying out to McLaughlin.

Lowell also went out in quick order. Connors hit to Gulheen and was out at first. Grant hit to Moorehead, and reached first in safety. He then stole second base. Bigbie hit to Moorehead and was out at first, and Grant took a run down to third base. Jackson, however, closed the inning by hitting to right field and was caught out by Birmingham.

Score—Lowell 0, Fall River 0.

SECOND INNING.

Neither side scored in the second inning. Birmingham hit to Bushey and was out at first. Moorehead flied out to Grant. Dwyer ended the inning by flying out to Jackson.

Lowell also went out in quick order. Merritt sent a grounder to Gulheen and was out at first. J. Connors hit to Moorehead and was the second out. A grounder to Bowcock hit by McLaughlin closed the inning.

Score—Lowell 0, Fall River 0.

THIRD INNING.

The visitors scored two runs in the third inning, while the local players failed to get around the bases. Sullivan singled and he was followed by Harris who also singled. Kiernan bunted to Bushey who tried to throw Sullivan out at third, but he threw the ball wild and the runners were safe. Sullivan scoring on the play. Harris hit to McLaughlin and was thrown out at first. Bowcock then struck out. Gulheen hit to McLaughlin, who threw to Bigbie, but the throw was bad and Harris scored. Birmingham closed the inning by striking out.

In Lowell's half the team had a chance to score, but failed to make good. Tierney singled over third base. Bushey hit to Gulheen who threw to catch Tierney, but Moorehead dropped the ball. Connors then sacrificed, advancing the men a base. Grant hit to Moorehead and was out at first. Bushey ran down to third thinking that Tierney would go home, and Tierney was caught out at third, closing the inning.

Score—Fall River 2, Lowell 0.

FOURTH INNING.

The visitors went out in quick order in the fourth inning. Moorehead hit to left field for a single. Dwyer sacrificed. Sullivan and Harris struck out.

For Lowell Bigbie flied out to Moorehead. Jackson flied out to Birmingham. Merritt reached first on an error by Moorehead who fumbled Merritt's grounder. J. Connors closed the inning by hitting to Bowcock and forcing Merritt out at second.

Score—Fall River 2, Lowell 0.

FIFTH INNING.

Fall River had three men on bases in the fifth but failed to score a run. Kiernan flied out to Grant for a starter. O'Hara then drew his base on balls. Bowcock singled over second base and O'Hara took second. Gulheen drew his base on balls filling the bases. Birmingham hit to J. Connors who threw O'Hara out at the plate. Moorehead closed the inning by striking out.

In the latter half of the fifth inning the local players went out in quick order. McLaughlin and Tierney flied out to Kiernan, Bushey hit to Harris who knocked the ball down and Moorehead fielded it down to first.

Score—Fall River 2, Lowell 0.

SIXTH INNING.

In the sixth inning Dwyer drew his base on balls. Sullivan and Harris struck out. Kiernan hit to left field scoring Dwyer. O'Hara closed the inning by flying out to Jackson.

Connors singled to left field and Grant flied out to Dwyer. Bigbie foul flied out to Sullivan. Jackson hit to right field, but Merritt closed the inning by hitting to Gulheen and going out at first.

Score—Fall River 3, Lowell 0.

SEVENTH INNING.

The visitors scored another run in the seventh inning. Bowcock drew his base on balls. Gulheen sacrificed sending him to second. Birmingham singled and Bowcock scored. Brminghan tried to steal second and was thrown out. Moorehead closed the inning by hitting to Connors and going out at first.

Lowell broke the ice and scored a run in the latter half of the seventh inning. J. Connors flied out to Moorehead. McLaughlin made a single over second base, but he was forced out by Tierney who sent a grounder to Moorehead. Tierney then stole second. Bushey then made a hit and Tierney scored. Connors closed the inning by striking out, the first strike-out made by Harris during the game.

Score—Fall River 4, Lowell 1.

EIGHTH INNING.

Dwyer and Sullivan opened the eighth inning by striking out. Harris hit to the left field fence for a nice single. Kiernan closed the inning by foul flying out to J. Connor.

In Lowell's half Grant hit to Bowcock and was out at first. Bigbie hit to Grant and was out at first. Jackson hit to Moorehead and died at first.

Score—Fall River 4, Lowell 1.

NINTH INNING.

O'Hara opened the ninth inning by striking out. Bowcock hit to Bigbie and was out at first. Gulheen drew his base on balls. Birmingham hit to left centre for a single and Gulheen was put out while trying to make third. Merritt foul flied to Birmingham. J. Connors flied to Moorehead. McLaughlin hit the ball to the left field fence for a two bagger. Tierney flied out to Moorehead.

FALL RIVER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Kiernan lf	5	0	1	1	2	0	0
O'Hara rf	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Bowcock 3b	4	1	1	1	0	4	0
Gulheen 2b	2	0	0	0	2	5	0
Birmingham 1b	5	0	2	2	15	1	0
Moorehead ss	4	0	1	1	5	5	2
Dwyer cf	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
Sullivan c	3	1	1	1	2	1	0
Harris p	4	1	2	2	0	2	0
Totals	33	4	9	9	27	18	2

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
W. Connors 2b	3	0	1	1	1	1	0
Grant rf	4	0	1	1	3	1	0
Bigbie 1b	4	0	0	0	6	0	0
Jackson lf	4	0	1	1	2	0	0
Merritt c	4	0	0	0	12	1	0
J. Connors 3b	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	2	3	1	1	1
Tierney rf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Bushey p	2	0	1	1	0	3	1
Totals	33	1	7	8	27	8	2

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1
Fall River	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0—4

Summary: Two-base hits—McLaughlin. Sacrifice hits—Gulheen 2. W. Connors. Stolen bases—Bowcock. Dwyer. Grant. First base on balls—Off Bushey 5. Struck out—By Bushey 9, by Harris 1. Time of game—1.50. Attendance—2000. Umpire—Kerins.

19 INNINGS

NASHUA FINALLY WON WITH A HOME RUN.

LYNN, May 29.—The longest and most exciting league championship game of baseball ever played in this vicinity was conducted by the Lynn and Nashua clubs of the New England league at Lynn Saturday afternoon, and after 19 innings was won by the latter, 2 to 1. Neither side was able to score until the 17th inning, when Murch of the Nashuas, the first man to bat, made a line drive over the left field fence for a home run. Lynn tied in its half and in a most peculiar fashion. With three on bases and none out, Lovell hits to Murch, who threw home, forcing Pastor, and the ball was thrown by Eaton to Wiley in time to double Lovell. One of the Lynn coaches ran toward the runner, causing Wiley to think it was a base runner, and he threw wildly past Eaton, allowing Bannon to score the tying run. But for this Nashua would have won 1 to 0 in 17 innings.

In the 18th inning Beard reached first with two, but failed to get any farther and for Lynn Daum opened with a hit, but was unable to profit thereby. With two out for Nashua in the 19th inning Wiley lifted the ball over the left field fence and scored what proved to be the winning run. Lynn had the top of its batting order up and went out in order.

Both O'Toole and Vail pitched great ball. The latter had more strike-outs, but was not so effective as his rival. He struck out 25 men during the game, 15 of them in the first nine innings. Beard, who leads off in batting for Nashua, struck out six times in eight times at bat. Vail gave but three bases and O'Toole six.

Score by innings:

Nashua	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	—2
Lynn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	—1

Runs—Murch, Wiley, Bannon. Two base hit—Wiley. Home runs—Murch, Wiley. Sacrifice hits—Daum, Bannon. Stolen bases—Beard, Bannon, Cassidy, J. Murphy, Eaton, Wiley, O'Neil 2. Double plays—Pastor and Lake; Murch, T. Murphy and Wiley 2, Hart (unassisted), Henry and Eaton; Murch, Eaton and Wiley. First base on balls—Off O'Toole 6, off Vail 2. Hit by pitched ball—T. Murphy. Struck out—by O'Toole 7, by Vail 25. Wild pitch—O'Toole. Time—3.45. Umpire—McCloud. Attendance—1400.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	16	8	.667
Fall River	12	8	.60
New Bedford	12	9	.571
Haverhill	10	10	.500
Lowell	11	12	.478
Concord	10	12	.45
Nashua	9	12	.429
Lynn	6	15	.286

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Lynn—Nashua 2, Lynn 1 (19 innings.) Attendance—1500.

At Lowell—Fall River 4, Lowell 1. Attendance—1200.

At Haverhill—Concord 3, Haverhill 1. Attendance—1600.

At Manchester—Manchester 12, New Bedford 5. Attendance—1875.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Lowell at Haverhill.
Nashua at Concord.
Fall River at New Bedford.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	27	8	.771
Pittsburg	20	15	.571
Philadelphia	17	16	.515
Chicago	19	18	.518
Cincinnati	15	18	.455
Boston	14	20	.412
St. Louis	14	20	.412
Brooklyn	14	25	.359

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

(Saturday Games.)

At Philadelphia—Boston 3, Philadelphia 0. Attendance—5031.

At New York—New York 4, Brooklyn 1. Attendance—12,000.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg 6, Cincinnati 3. Attendance—7000.

At Chicago—Chicago 8, St. Louis 3. Attendance—3000.

(Sunday Games.)

At Chicago—St. Louis 6, Chicago 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(National League.)

Philadelphia at Boston.
Brooklyn at New York.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Cleveland	19	11	.633
Chicago	19	12	.613
Philadelphia	17	14	.549
Detroit	16	15	.516
Washington	16	18	.471
St. Louis	15	18	.455
Boston	13	19	.407
New York	13	20	.393

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

(Saturday Game.)

At Chicago—Chicago 9, Boston 2. Attendance—3310.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 6, New York 3. Attendance—7535.

At Detroit—Detroit 3, Philadelphia Athletics 2. Attendance—4800.

At St. Louis—Washington 2, St. Louis 1. Attendance—5400.

(Sunday Games.)

Chicago—Boston 8, Chicago 5.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 5, Washington 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(American League.)

New York at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Detroit at Chicago.

OTHER SATURDAY GAMES.

At Wakefield—Wakefield High 6, Lowell High 4.

Lowell B. R. A., 6, Mathews 5 (15 innings.)

Red Men 7, Elms 6.

At North Billerica—North Billerica 12, Sacred Hearts 10 (12 innings.)

Cushing Academy 7, Textile School 6.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES.

(New England League.)

Monday—Nashua at Concord, Fall River at New Bedford.

Tuesday—(Morning)—Fall River at New Bedford, Lowell at Nashua, Manchester at Concord, Lynn at Haverhill; afternoon)—New Bedford at Fall River, Nashua at Lowell, Concord at Manchester, Haverhill at Lynn.

Wednesday—Manchester at New Bedford, Concord at Fall River, Nashua at Lynn.

Thursday—Manchester at New Bedford, Concord at Fall River, Nashua at Lynn, Lowell at Haverhill.

Friday—Manchester at Fall River, Concord at New Bedford, Haverhill at Nashua, Lowell at Lynn.

Saturday—Manchester at Fall River, Concord at New Bedford, Nashua at Haverhill, Lowell at Lynn.

(American League.)

Monday—New York at Philadelphia, St. Louis at Cleveland, Detroit at Chicago.

Tuesday (two games)—Boston at Washington, New York at Philadelphia, St. Louis at Cleveland, Detroit at Chicago.

Wednesday—Boston at Washington, (two games), New York at Philadelphia, St. Louis at Cleveland, Detroit at Chicago.

Thursday—Boston at New York, Washington at Philadelphia, Detroit at St. Louis, Cleveland at Chicago.

Friday—Boston at New York, Washington at Philadelphia, Detroit at St. Louis.

Saturday—Boston at New York, Washington at Philadelphia, Detroit at St. Louis, Cleveland at Chicago.

Sunday, June 4.—Detroit at St. Louis, Cleveland at Chicago.

(National League.)

Monday and two games on Tuesday—Philadelphia at Boston, Brooklyn at New York, St. Louis at Pittsburg, Chicago at Cincinnati.

Wednesday—Philadelphia at Boston, New York at Brooklyn, Chicago at Cincinnati.

Thursday and Friday—New York at Boston, Philadelphia at Brooklyn, St. Louis at Cincinnati, Chicago at Pittsburg.

Saturday—New York at Boston, (two games), Philadelphia at Brooklyn, Cincinnati at St. Louis, Chicago at Pittsburg.

Rev. John J. Shaw, rector of St. Michael's church, goes to Washington the last of the week to be present at the commencement of Trinity college and witness the graduation of his niece, Miss Mary A. Feenan of Salem. Miss Feenan will take the leading part in a production of Tennyson's Princess, and is the class poet.

JACKSON LEADS

THE LOWELL AGGREGATION AT THE BAT.

The batting and fielding averages of the Lowell team are as follows:

	g	ab	r	bh	tb	av	fav	2b	3b	hr
Jackson	21	91	13	31	43	.362	.367	7	1	0
Bigbie	22	88	12	25	32	.318	.321	1	0	1
W. Connors	23	92	13	23	24	.250	.254	1	0	0
Tierney	11	28	6	6	8	.214	.286	2	0	0
Anderberg	20	67	9	14	15	.209	.224	1	0	0
J. Connors	22	82	10	17	17	.207	.207	0	0	0
Grant	23	89	10	20	25	.202	.202	5	0	0
Merritt	23	84	5	15	18	.179	.214	3	0	0
Bushey	7	22	2	3	3	.136	.136	0	0	0
McLaughlin	23	75	7	8	11	.107	.147	3	0	0
Coughlin	6	19	1	1	1	.053	.053	0	0	0
Cross	6	17	0	0	0	.000	.000	0	0	0

FIELDING AVERAGES.

	po	a	e	av	sb	sh
Jackson lf	9	0	0	1.000	0	0
Merritt c	17	2	0	1.000	0	0
Bigbie 1b	10	0	0	1.000	0	0
Tierney rf	1	0	0	1.000	0	0
Anderberg c	106	20	2	.992	1	4
Merritt 1b	191	8	1	.990	1	2
W. Connors 2b	46	60	3	.972	1	1
Bigbie lf	45	1	1	.978	1	4
Jackson rf	72	0	2	.917	1	1
Grant cf	63	10	7	.913	8	5
Tierney p	4	23	3	.900	1	0
Cross p	1	17	2	.900	0	0
J. Connors 3b	28	31	9	.855	6	2
Coughlin p	1	6	1	.875	0	1
McLaughlin ss	51	81	17	.861	1	1
Bushey p	0	8	2	.800	0	0
W. Connors 3b	1	1	2	.711	0	0

WEBSTER SYSTEM.

	ab	bh	p. c.	Previous record
Jackson	92	66	.700	.700
Merritt	82	47	.573	.655
Anderberg	65	33	.508	.520
Bigbie	85	43	.506	.467
J. Connors	84	37	.457	.500
Grant	94	43	.458	.507
Tierney	24	10	.417	.375
W. Connors	91	37	.407	.417
McLaughlin	72	24	.333	.393
Bushey	33	5	.218	.118
Coughlin	10	4	.200	.245
Cross	17	1	.059	.088

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Haverhill today.

Only one home game this week.

Lynn has released Gokey and Nashua takes him up.

The fans are handing it out fiercely to McLaughlin these days.

The team plays in Nashua tomorrow morning and in Lowell in the afternoon.

Connie Murphy was suspended last week for calling Umpire Kerins "rotten." Connie always did have tough luck with Kerins.

Vail of Lynn struck out 25 men in Saturday's game, probably a world's record, and yet his team lost. Two home runs won the game.

"Muggsy" McGraw has been fined $150 and suspended for 15 days for getting gay with Pres. Dreyfus of the Pittsburg team.

Martin Mack isn't satisfied with the work of the team and unless certain players show an improvement in a few days they will be slid off the team. Lowell is one of the best paid teams in the league and should not be weak.

Mr. Ralph W. Clogston, formerly of this city, now located at Newport, Vt., is visiting relatives and renewing acquaintances here and in Boston.

CRICKET GAMES

BUNTINGS DEFEATED THE LYNN TEAM SATURDAY.

The Lynn Wanderers were defeated by the United States Bunting Cricket club Saturday afternoon by a score of 92 to 86 on the former's grounds at Lynnhurst. The game was too one-sided to be called interesting, for the Buntings had but two wickets down when the victory was made. The score:

Lynn Wanderers	86
Buntings	92

ZION RESERVES WON.

The Zion Reserves went to Methuen Saturday and defeated the Methuens by a score of 76 to 41. The score:

Zion Reserves	76
Methuen Reserves	41

MOHAIRS DEFEATED.

The Mohair cricket team was defeated on the Franklin field, Boston, yesterday, by the West Indias, an aggregation of enthusiastic colored players. The game was a close one, the difference in the scores at the finish of the game being only six runs. The score:

West Indias	65
Mohairs	59

NORTH BILLERICA WON.

Andover travelled to North Billerica Saturday afternoon and met defeat at the cricket team representing that town. The score at the end of the game was 50 to 29 in North Billerica's favor. The score:

North Billerica	50
Andover	29

IRISH LEAGUE

THIS LEAGUE TO CONGRATULATE NATIONAL TREASURER.

The meeting of the United Irish League at A. O. H. hall last night was well attended, President Connolly in the chair.

The Gaelic class had a very successful session from 6.30 till 8 o'clock, under the direction of Prof. Coakley of Lawrence.

A committee was appointed to procure a local speaker for the next meeting two weeks hence, and was requested to announce his name to the press in due time.

The "Ile for the eBach" picnic was talked of and steps taken to advance the arrangements for the affair.

A committee was appointed to draft a resolution congratulating the national treasurer, Mr. J. B. Gilspatrick of Boston, on the high honor conferred upon him in being made the recipient of the Laetare medal of the university of Notre Dame, Ind., given in recognition of his spotless integrity, his public and private virtues, his benevolence and philanthropy.

The meeting adjourned for two weeks.

THE M. C. PRATT LAND SALE.

The sale of the M. C. Pratt land on the Princeton boulevard, advertised during the past week in The Sun, has begun with a rush. Already 22 lots of the 125 have been disposed of and others are being snatched up daily. On Saturday several parties selected lots and promised to call today and make deposits upon them, but they had not been gone half an hour when other parties selected the same lots and made their deposits. So the boom goes on. Call early if you want to get the best lots.

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After Dinner
PEPSIN Gum
The Gum with PEPSIN in it.

SCHOOL TEACHERS

WILL HOLD LAST REGULAR TERM MEETING WEDNESDAY.

The last regular term meeting of public school teachers for the present school year will be held in the High School hall Wednesday afternoon, May 31, at 4.30 o'clock.

The meeting will be addressed by Wilson L. Gill, L. L. B., supervisor of moral and civic teaching in Cuba, under the United States military government, on the general topic of "The School City."

The public is invited to this as to all meetings of teachers.

Among the Lowell men who will take part in Memorial day observances out-of-town are: William A. Mack, who goes back to his old home at Amherst, N. H., to take charge of the Memorial Day exercises. Solon W. Stevens, esq., is to be the orator at Montague, before a post commanded by a former Lowell man. Lyman B. Sewall, a son of the late Samuel Sewall, Hon. G. A. Marden will deliver the Memorial Day address at Webster.

Letter to H. D. DECATER, Lowell, Mass.:

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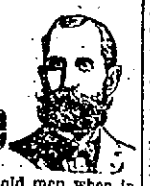
Men Come to Me



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An Autograph Photograph of Mr. Wright Huntington to every lady attending.
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Sundays, 8.45 a. m.

From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.45	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.28	7.40	6.35	7.26
6.38	7.30	7.54	8.54
8.49	7.38	8.25	9.01
7.01	8.01	9.00	9.37
7.24	8.10	10.00	10.37
7.31	8.50	10.17	11.34
7.48	8.35	11.30	12.07
7.52	10.05	12.00	12.56
8.37	9.40	1.00	1.37
9.33	10.18	2.00	2.01
11.05	12.04	3.00	3.37
11.43	12.21	3.47	5.00
12.17	1.00	4.14	5.30
1.4[illegible]	2.35	5.00	5.37
1.55	2.39	5.38	6.25
2.47	4.30	5.47	6.54
4.25	5.33	6.14	7.30
5.22	6.15	7.53	8.08
5.45	7.00	8.30	9.08
6.12	6.55	10.30	11.34
7.25	8.10	11.20	12.21

WESTERN DIV.

From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.30	7.35	7.20	8.21
8.00	8.54	8.25	10.31
9.25	10.33	10.45	11.46
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.14
12.05	1.26	2.15	3.22
12.50	2.00	3.35	4.56
2.20	3.33	4.50	5.44
3.10	4.03	6.01	7.02
3.35	5.00	6.35	7.45
5.06	6.46	9.40	10.35
6.15	7.10	*11.15	12.19
7.50	8.00		
8.30	9.25		

* Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	1.25	8.00	9.13
12.10	1.50	12.00	1.00
3.35	4.50	5.05	6.25
5.32	6.33		
8.03	9.00		

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.39	7.50	9.00	10.00
7.21	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.48	9.49	5.00	5.59
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2.25	3.27	8.30	9.08
6.32	7.22	9.00	10.02

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JAPANESE TEA PARTY.

A Japanese tea party was given by the Junior Christian Endeavor society in the vestry of the Kirk Street church Saturday afternoon, and the affair proved to be a grand success.

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MAY PROCESSION

Grand Spectacle at St. Michael's

ABOUT 1200 WERE IN THE LINE

Big Processions in Other Churches

The ceremony of crowning the statue of the Blessed Virgin was carried out at St. Michael's church yesterday afternoon with unusual splendor. A great May procession in which twelve hundred persons marched was witnessed by thousands of people who lined the sidewalks and streets through which the paraders passed.

It was an ideal day for the event and the pretty spectacle furnished by the little children wearing white dresses, and little mites and the adults dressed in black, while the women wearing long white veils also was very striking and impressive.

Long before 3 o'clock the streets leading to the Centralville church were crowded with people making their way from the city proper to the scene of the procession. Those who took part in the procession assembled in the school hall and under the direction of Rev. Fr. Murphy the long line was formed. So great was the crush about the church and school that it was with difficulty that the police opened up a passageway, and acolytes led the way accompanied by a military escort. Then the little ones dressed to represent the different religious characters, followed; John the Baptist represented by John B. Villancour; Good Shepherd, Ronan McCann; Queen of Martyrs, Alice Donohoe; Emblem of Faith, Mary Sorenson; Children of Faith group, Mary McLaughlin, Mary McCarthy, Lillian Dooley, Esther Boyle, Mary Agnes Gallagher, Catherine Sullivan, Ruth McMahon, Alice Daly; Hope, Mary Sorenson; Hope group, Lena Tully, Lena Senior, Annie Eagan, Esther Senior; Charity, Mary Gilligan; Charity group, Louise Roach, Mary Etta Kelley, Emma Currier, Nellie Donovan, Sadie McKenna, Nellie McCann, Rose Monohan, Ethel Dragon, Agnes McPadden, Misses Callahan, Moulton, Moran, Rourke, Callahan, Eagan, Burns and Riordan; Our Lady of the Snow, Ellen Daly; attendants, Gertrude Riordan, Georgiana McKinley; St. Ursuline, Mary Cawley; St. Agnes, Catherine Martin; St. Cecelia, Mary Shore; St. Barbara, Mary Collins; St. Catherine, Winifred Hart; St. Thecla, Margaret Chisholm; St. Christina, Mary McDonough; St. Helena, Agnes Brennan; St. Joan of Arc, Minnie Bradley; St. Genevieve, Mary Smith; St. Agatha, Nellie Moore.

The angels were represented by Marion Molton, Frances Callaghan, Madeline Molton, Mary Callaghan, Gertrude Reardon, Georgianna Keith, Mary Burns, Catherine Eagan, Margaret O'Rourke, Catherine McPadden, Annie O'Brien, Veronica Noonan, Katherine Roach, Mary Walsh, Mary Gallagher, Peter Moulton.

The virgins were: Ellen Daley, Mary Cawley, Catherine Martin, Nellie Moor, May Shore, Mary Powers, Winnie Hart, Margaret Chisholm, Margaret McDonough, Agnes Breen, Annie Brady, Annie Bradley, Mary Smith.

Besides these the first division included the boys and girls carrying the banners of the joyful, sorrowful and glorious mysteries.

Headed by an escort of militia the second division was led by the Queen of May, impersonated by Miss Lillian Burns who was beautifully gowned in white and wore a crown, and Miss Helen Calnin, queen of flowers, who was dressed in white and wore a veil. She carried a large floral cross and the attendants formed a marching cross. The guardian angel, Miss Catherine Sheehan, had a boy and a girl attendant. The boys who represented doctors, martyrs and confessors, carried rolls of parchment, crosses and palms. In this division also were the Immaculate Conception sodality, Boys' Holy Name society and the Men's Holy Name society.

During the procession hymns to the Blessed Virgin were sung. Several of the residences in the vicinity were decorated and over the entrance to the parochial school was a shrine of the Sacred Heart.

Shrines of the Blessed Virgin were erected at the convent and also in front of the parochial school.

The procession moved down Sixth to Bridge, to Seventh, to Varnum, to Sixth street, to the church. Here occurred the crowning of the statue of the Blessed Virgin.

The May Queen with her attendants placed the crown on the statue, after the queen had been crowned by Lillian McSorley and laid flowers at the base of the statue.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament followed, the celebrant being Rev. Eugene A. Carney, Rev. Francis J. Mullin deacon, Rev. Thomas McLaughlin sub-deacon, Rev. Dennis Murphy, master of ceremonies. Rev. John J. Shaw occupied a seat in the sanctuary. The service closed with the singing of the hymn of praise.

Fr. Murphy was ably assisted in arranging the details of the parade by Sister Moneta, Sister May Alice, Miss Margaret McCluskey, Miss Ella Brown.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

The May procession at the Immaculate Conception church was held last evening after the regular vesper service and throngs of people assembled in the streets surrounding the church and grounds. Vespers was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Sullivan, O. M. I., and Rev. Fitzpatrick, O. M. I., recited the rosary. The procession marched down the aisle of the church and out into the beautiful park in front of the edifice where hymns were sung to the Queen of May. There were about five hundred in line and the little children added immensely to the attractiveness of the occasion. The congregation was so large that many were obliged to remain outside the church while the thousands around the park came from all over the city to witness the impressive exercises. The societies that took part were the Immaculate Conception young ladies, Children of Mary, the sodalities of the Holy Angels and the sanctuary boys. The priests also took part. After the processionists returned to the church there was solemn benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. In the afternoon there was a reception of new members into the sodalities, the new members being obligated by Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., who also had charge of the arrangements for the procession in the evening.

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Tomorrow will be Decoration day, a day that is sad, yet sweetly sad because it puts new life in our recollection of the dead, the heroes who gave their lives to save the union, or who survived the struggle and lived to see the fruits of their victory.

The exercises arranged for the observance of tomorrow in Lowell are very ordinary and are practically a repetition of the exercises of former years. The formality of a pre-arranged program, however, has but little to do with the real spirit of the day. It is in the cemeteries that the day unveils its meaning, and despite the fact that it is given a tearful welcome it is, nevertheless, a day of great consolation. Beautiful flowers moistened with tears of love spread their fragrance about them, and for the one time in the year the silent city is transformed into a great flower garden with graves as flower beds.

Tiny American flags will wave from the iron markers on the graves of veterans and words eulogizing their memory will re-echo from monument to tombstone and the evening breeze will fan the flowers on the mounds where heroes rest. The day carries with it unexplainable inspiration and its influence is good for the soul of man.

The exercises, sentimental and joyful, will be as follows:

Visits to cemeteries by G. A. R. posts 1 p. m. Post 42 will visit the Lowell cemetery; Post 120 the Gorham street cemeteries; Post 185 the School street cemetery and proceed to the South common via. Westford street, being escorted from the armory by the battalion of militia. Farragut Camp, S. of V., Hildreth cemetery.

After services are concluded at the cemeteries Posts of G. A. R. and Camps of S. of V. will proceed to the South common by the shortest route. Parade and review at 3 p. m.

Ball games—Lowell at Nashua, forenoon; Nashua at Lowell afternoon.

Red men at Cricket grounds.

Highland Council at Westlands grounds.

Roller skating.

Convention at Odd Fellows' hall, 2 p. m.

Banquet to visiting clerks, Odd Fellows' temple, 7 p. m.

Theatres—Huntington-De Deyn company in "When We Were Twenty-one" at the Lowell opera house, matinee and evening.

Mathew Temperance Institute will assemble at its hall at 8.30 a. m. and after a short street parade will march to the Middlesex street station, where at 9.50, they will take a special train for Lynn.

Exercises at High school and other features.

SPECIAL MEETING

Board of Aldermen Will Draw Jurors

The committee on sewers will meet at three o'clock this afternoon and Mayor Casey has ordered a special meeting of the board of aldermen to be held at 4 o'clock for the purpose of drawing jurors.

Mayor Casey, this forenoon, received a communication from the Good Roads association, apprising him of the fact that the association would hold a convention at Portland, Oregon, June 21 to 24, and the association would gladly welcome five representative citizens of Lowell at the convention. The invitation was not liberal to the extent of paying the expenses of the five representative citizens and the association did not state just what would be the nature of the courtesies extended to the five worthy representatives. The mayor expects that he will be flooded with applications from "representative citizens."

SPOTTED FEVER

Health Board Hears of New Case

Today for the first time within a week a new case of cerebro-spinal meningitis was reported at the office of the board of health. The case is that of a child named Daley living at 6 rear of 61 Dummer street. The child's first name was not given on the report.

The report of this case came as a blow to the board of health. The board hoped that, so far as cerebro-spinal meningitis was concerned, that it was out of the woods. The appearance of a new case on the second very warm day that we have had is a bit disconcerting, as authorities have given as a concensus of opinion that hot weather would dispel the disease.

No new cases of small-pox have been reported and the patients at the contagious hospital are doing well.

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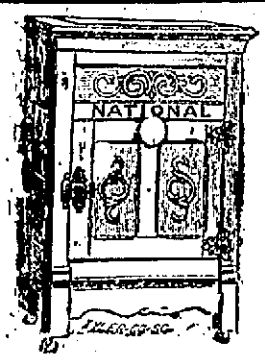

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The only fault that could be found with Chelmsford this morning was the dust which flew regardless of the eyes or gala attire of the inhabitants and that was something over which the anniversary committee had no control.

The opening of the historical exhibit and the band concert on the common by the North Chelmsford band, Hubert Bearce, leader, were the attractions this morning and they drew quite a crowd.

The historical exhibit was opened in the vestry of the Unitarian church at 10.30 o'clock and will continue, free of charge until 9 p. m. Wednesday. The exhibit is one of the most unique features of the celebration and undoubtedly will be one of the most popular after the visitors become aware of its nature. One could really put in an entire day at the exhibit inspecting the rare articles there displayed. The exhibit had just opened this morning when a letter was received from the mayor of Chelmsford, England after which the town was named, extending his congratulations and enclosing two old prints of the ancient English town. The exhibit includes old books 200, and in one case 300 years old in various stages of preservation, old furniture, paintings, letters, bric-a-brac and a number of valuable revolutionary war relics, all with some local significance to enhance their value. Among the relics is a finely preserved commission given by Governor Shirley to Lieutenant Benjamin Parker of Chelmsford in 1752. The visitors inspected the relics at great length and then repaired to the shady spots that skirt the common to listen to the band which rendered an excellent program. The band was unfortunately situated on a stand in the sun and when they had gone half way through their program they were nearly baked. Then some wiseacre suggested that they move out of the stand and find more comfortable quarters under the trees. Acting upon the suggestion they proceeded to take their chairs to a delightfully shaded corner where the sun was hidden and the exhilarating breeze abounded and their playing was even better under the changed conditions.

Most of those who returned to Chelmsford from afar spent the morning in the renewal of old acquaintances and went visiting about town. Souvenir badges are on sale about town and nearly everyone met were from one to many of them. There were no fakirs about town, the only thing in the line of a booth being that of the Chelmsford ginger ale company, a local industry.

"Gee! I never saw Chelmsford so busy," remarked a youngster as he stood in the doorway of Falls and Burkinshaw's store and watched with envious eyes a crowd of about a dozen devouring Jimmie Hornby's care-forgetting ice cream sodas. And so it was for Chelmsford was never so busy for people were moving here, there and everywhere, on foot, in carriages and in autos greeting old friends and making new ones for one didn't have to wait for a formal introduction to get acquainted. All the Chelmsfords were represented at the historical exhibit and the band concert, and "you must come down and see our part of the town," was heard quite frequently.

The members of the committee to whose untiring efforts the big success of the celebration is due took things easily at their office in the town hall, this morning. They were much in demand, however, but they answered all questions and gave much sound advice from their office.

The band concert lasted until noon when Caterer Harris who runs the dining room in the basement of the town hall became the most popular man in town and he served a fine menu to a large number though there were any number of spreads at the different residences with from one to a dozen guests.

About one o'clock the crowds began to appear on the streets again and by 1.30 with people arriving on every car the town was crowded, all present to attend the formal anniversary exercises in the town hall.

The interior of the hall was prettily decorated and additional seats were put in to accommodate the 11th hour demand for admission. The hall was filled when the exercises were opened at 2 o'clock.

The program was began with a selection by the North Chelmsford band after which Mr. J. Adams Bartlett, president of the day formally opened the meeting with a brief speech upon the significance of the celebration.

He spoke as follows:

PRES. BARTLETT'S SPEECH.

President Bartlett spoke as follows:

Fellow Citizens and Friends:

The honor of presiding over this assemblage today has been conferred on me by the general committee in charge, and I accept the duty with pleasure. It is an honor which comes to but few men, comparatively speaking, to preside over a body of people assembled as you are today for the purpose of celebrating the 250th birthday of a town in this country. And it is a pleasure for me to stand here and look into the faces of you, who for so many years have been my good friends. It is a far cry back 250 years to the time when your ancestors and mine came here and settled in what was then an unbroken wilderness. On the north, the lordly Merrimack ran to the sea, unvexed by dam or mill wheel. On the east, the sleepy Concord wended its way to join its forces with its larger brother. Hale's brook and Beaver brook wended their way through bright meadow or virgin forest, on their way to the Great Father of the waters. Robin's hill rose high above the valleys, still and silent as a sentinel standing guard over a camp. There was here no vision of a town, much less of a large city such as is gathered today on the banks of the Merrimack. Nothing was here except God's sunshine and the sighing of the winds through swaying pines, sweet indened with the breath of spring flowers. These men and women who gathered here, striving to make a home, and wrest a living out of the hard New England soil, builded better than they knew. For from them (and the same may be said of all the New England towns) have sprung largely the men and the women who have made this commonwealth and this great nation what it is today. They planted the germ which has grown into an "Empire of American Freeman.

They were matter-of-fact people, made so by the circumstances which surrounded them and the difficulties which the yhad to surmount. But they had their ideals and their ideas, and from them came the idea which developed without any precedent or formula, the government of the New England state embodying the greatest and "highest independence of the individual, consistent with the highest social and civil rights of every other member."

It has been well said by another in a naddress an an occasion similar to this, that "the development of this idea, created through the sovereignty of the state, delegated to the towns the best system of local self government ever devised or administered, and the existence and extent of error and corruption in state or municipal ogvernment today is measured by the line of departure from this idea. If their ideals were hig, they were their own. If their visions were prophetic, they were their own prophets. They were not singing their songs in a strange land, they were tuning their harps on their own new Jordan. They were building a democracy, and took good care to leave no foothold for an aristocracy. They chose their parsons and representatives to the general court at the same town meeting, and reserved the right to criticise the theology of the one, and the politics of the other. Their enthusiasm was not formative; it was born of an insistent, personal independence in religion, and by force of this rule, the theory of intolerance of the seventeenth century worked out the conditions of liberality in the eighteenth."

These me nand women were a benediction to their day and egenration, and no man or woman need be in the least degree ashamed today that you bear their good old names, or that their blood runs through your veins.

We meet today to honor their memory and to gather inspiration for our own future by looking back on what they have done.

On yonder common stands the monument erected to the memory of the Revolutionary soldiers, and on that shaft, and also on your municipal seal are these words, "Let the children guard what the sires have won." Are we doing what these words require? They apply, I know, to deeds done in war, but "Peace has its victories no less renowned than war."

There are many historic spots in this old town which should be marked and preserved, and I suggest that during or after this celebration a historical society be formed by you to do this work. There are many old residents coming here to visit you, and I doubt not that they would be glad to contribute to such an object, that the traditions of your and their ancestors may be preserved.

Men and women of this honored old town, what I have said has been all in relation to the past. All about us today are your beautiful homes, monuments to your thrift and enterprise.

Within the last twenty years have come into your town and into your homes many of the appliances of modern art and science, making your method of living easier, and your communications with the world and each other better. You have builded your public schools and opened wide their doors to all, improving their system to correspond to modern methods.

You have, through the generosity of one of the descendants of one of the first settlers of the town, a beautiful public library, on whose shelves are gathered a treasure of literature, second to none of its size. Your hands have always been open to deeds of charity and mercy. What better record can a town have than this?

"Peace is at thy wall and prosperity within thy gates."

He was followed by Chairman Walter Perham of the board of selectmen who delivered a neat speech of welcome.

Mr. Perham spoke as follows:

Two and one-half centuries ago, when Oliver Cromwell was lord protector of England, when the American Indian roamed about the fields and forests of Massachusetts colony, when Boston was a town and this community contained but 20 families, those families, our Puritan ancestors, desiring to improve their condition assembled together and established here the township of Chelmsford.

We gather today with a feeling of deepest gratitude to do honor to those brave pioneers and all the good citizens who through the past have fostered here the spirit of freedom, thrift and enterprise.

Our great American nation, strong and mighty, but still ambitious in her youth, has witnessed many changes within the period of time which we commemorate. Monarchy has been supplanted by democracy. Our land has broadened westward to the Pacific. The great civil strife threatening as it did our national integrity within the memory of many of you here today, has become a matter of history and the spirit of friendship and unity prevails throughout our land. A century and a quarter of democracy brings us again closer to our mother England with the same brotherhood which prompted the return of the battle flags to the regiments of the South.

The people of Chelmsford have been engaged for the most part in agricultural pursuits some of our sons for eight generations have tilled the soil of their fathers; but other industries have from time to time played an important part.

The first stone block erected in Boston was built of Chelmsford granite.

The first match factory in the country was erected at South Chelmsford.

One of the earliest machine shops in the country is still running at North Chelmsford and is now surrounded by the large plant of the Moore Spinning company, employing nearly 900 persons, and which with other adjacent property stands as a monument to the energy of Mr. Geo. C. Moore.

The centre village is not given largely to mercantile pursuits but furnishes attractive homes for many merchants and artisans of our neighboring city of Lowell.

New and well appointed school buildings have recently been erected at the east and west villages, at an expense of $15,000, to meet the demands of a growing population in those sections. Chelmsford contains few men of wealth or of poverty. The town has been developed by the people as a whole. Our citizens contribute generously to the support of schools, highways and public improvements, maintaining more miles of highway than any other town in the state.

The sons of Chelmsford who have gone forth in the world and acquired wealth and fortune still cling in memory to the old hearthstone. The loyalty of one is well exemplified by the beautiful library over yonder, the gift of Mr. Amos F. Adams of Boston.

Today our citizens are showing their loyalty by contributing so generously to this quarter millennial.

We are glad to welcome our returning sons and daughters who by their presence manifest a kindly interest in their native town, and one of whom, a prominent educator, will greet us from the platform.

We are proud today of Chelmsford; proud of her age, her record and her sons and we extend to you all the right hand of fellowship and of welcome to enjoy with us these anniversary exercises.

Responding for the visiting Chelmsford people, Prof. Charles F. Emerson dean of Dartmouth college, delivered an eloquent address which was received with enthusiasm by the large audience and then the town historian, Mr. Henry S. Perham, delivered the address of the occasion on the subject: "The Town our Fathers Builded." At the conclusion of the address the band rendered a selection and the exercises came to a close. The exercises had not concluded at the time of going to press.

At sunset the bells will again sing and at 8 o'clock the Chelmsford Centre band will give a concert on the common while at 8.15 a reception to the home comers will be held in the town hall.

CHILDREN'S DAY.

Tomorrow, Children's day, will be observed as follows:

9 a. m.—Children assemble at schoolhouse. March to cemetery with veterans.

10 a.m. Phonographic concert in pavilion, free to all. Mr. Chas. Nichols.

12 m. Salute the Flag.

12.15 p.m. Planting of anniversary tree on common. Remarks by Rev. C. H. Ellis, chairman school committee. Singing, school children.

12.30 p.m. Collation in pavilion, free to school children.

1.15 p.m. Brief talk to the children, E. E. Spalding, Pasadena, Cal.

1.30 p.m. Entertainment in pavilion, free to all, by Prof. F. O. Farrell, magician and entertainer.

2.30 p.m. Ball game, Fletcher's Field. Contestants: Clubs from North, Centre and West Villages.

Sports on the Common. Standing Jump, running broad jump, standhigh jump, putting shot, 220 yards dash, 440 yards dash.

1st prize for each contest, $1.00.

2d prize for each contest, 50c.

For the smaller children: Three Legged Race, Sack Race, Potato Race, Doughnut Race. Suitable prizes for all.

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JAPANESE ADMIRAL

Is Pursuing the Remnants of the Russian Fleet

Twelve Russian Ships Sunk or Captured by the Japanese Fleet—Eight Russian Captains are Reported Drowned

IN THE GREAT NAVAL BATTLE FOUGHT SATURDAY AND SUNDAY IN THE STRAITS OF KOREA, THE JAPANESE OBTAINED A COMPLETE AND OVERWHELMING VICTORY. LATE ADVICES SHOW THAT ROJESTVENSKY'S FLEET, COMPOSED OF ALL HIS MOST EFFECTIVE AND POWERFUL SHIPS WAS COMPLETELY SHATTERED. ACCORDING TO THE LATEST INFORMATION, TWO RUSSIAN BATTLESHIPS, ONE COAST DEFENCE ARMOR CLAD, FIVE CRUISERS, TWO SPECIAL SERVICE SHIPS, AND THREE DESTROYERS WERE SUNK AND THERE WERE CAPTURED TWO BATTLESHIPS, TWO COAST DEFENCE ARMOR-CLADS AND ONE SPECIAL SHIP.

ROJESTVENSKY'S FLAGSHIP ESCAPED BADLY DAMAGED AND WITH OTHER VESSELS OF HIS BROKEN FLEET IS BEING PURSUED BY THE VICTORIOUS JAPANESE. REAR-ADMIRAL NEBOGATOFF HOWEVER, WAS CAPTURED WITH 3000 OTHER PRISONERS. IT SEEMS PROBABLE THAT IN THEIR CRIPPLED CONDITION OTHER RUSSIAN VESSELS WILL FALL INTO THE HANDS OF THE JAPANESE BEFORE THEY CAN REACH VLADIVISTOK. WHILE LONDON RUMORS SAY THAT SEVERAL JAPANESE VESSELS WERE LOST, ADMIRAL TOGO OFFICIALLY REPORTS THAT HIS SQUADRON WAS NOT DAMAGED. A NUMBER OF RUSSIAN VESSELS STILL REMAIN NEAR SHANGHAI, BUT IT IS EVIDENT THAT AS A FIGHTING FORCE THE GREAT FLEET HAS BEEN DESTROYED. NO DETAILS OF THE BATTLE HAVE YET BEEN PERMITTED TO PASS THE JAPANESE CENSOR BUT TOKIO DISPATCHES MAKE IT CLEAR THAT ADMIRAL TOGO IS PRESSING HIS ADVANTAGE AND HARASSING THE RUSSIAN VESSELS WHICH ARE ATTEMPTING TO TAKE REFUGE AT VLADIVOSTOK AND MAKE MORE COMPLETE HIS ALREADY SWEEPING VICTORY.

JAPANESE WON A COMPLETE VICTORY

TOKIO, MAY 29.—2.15 P. M.—IT IS OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED THAT ADMIRAL ROJESTVENSKY'S FLEET HAS BEEN PRACTICALLY ANNIHILATED. TWELVE WARSHIPS HAVE BEEN SUNK OR CAPTURED, AND TWO TRANSPORTS AND TWO TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYERS HAVE BEEN SUNK.

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THE ATLANTIC LED

LONDON, May 29.—10.47 a. m.—Barring accidents, the American three-masted schooner yacht Atlantic, owned by Wilson Marshall, New York Yacht club, is winner of the kaiser's cup.

She passed abeam of Sicily Island at 9.57 o'clock this morning.

When sighted, the Atlantic was making good progress toward the Lizard, where the race ends. There was a light southwest wind and a smooth sea.

The Atlantic created a yachting record, by crossing from the United States in 12 days.

ATLANTIC CLEARED.

LIZARD, Eng., May 29.—The American schoono yacht Atlantic was ten miles off the Lizard at 4.45 p. m., and thirteen miles south of Pensance. All were well on board and she had a splendid voyage. Her crew heartily responded to the cheers of the passengers and crew on board a passing steamer.

DIVORCE COURT

There was a large attendance of women at the session of the divorce court, Judge Bond presiding, at the court house in Gorham street.

In the case of Etta Farrington vs. Henry Farrington, who were married in Durham, N. C., and it being alleged that Henry deserted his wife in 1899, a decree nisi was granted.

Sarah Durgin charged her husband, Joseph T., with gross and confirmed habits of intoxication. The court granted her a decree nisi and gave her the custody of her minor children. The libellant stated that her husband is serving a sentence of imprisonment at the house of correction at Deer Island.

Nellie T. McGlone charged her husband, Charles H., of Natick, with cruel and abusive treatment. A decree was granted and the libelee will pay the libellant $5 a week until the court orders a suspension.

Minnie L. Dowd claimed that her husband, Benjamin H., had gross and confirmed habits of intoxication caused by the voluntary and excessive use of intoxicating liquors. She received a decree nisi.

A decree nisi was granted in the case of Henri H. Blanchette vs. Malvine Blanchette, the charge being desertion.

In the case of Bessie J. Wright vs. Louis B. Wright, for gross and confirmed habits of intoxication, a decree nisi was granted and the libellant was given the custody of her minor child.

A decree nisi was also granted in the case of James Joseph Battles vs. Maggie Battles, for desertion.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.

Philedean party North Billerica tonight.

FRED BUTTERS

INJURED AT LOWELL WASTE COMPANY'S PLANT.

Fred Butters, aged 16 years, while at work at the Lowell Waste Co., today met with a painful accident. He was hoisting bales of waste when one of the bales dropped off and the hook struck him on the top of the nose, inflicting a deep wound. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where four stitches were taken.

He resided at 41 High street.

Philedean party North Billerica tonight.

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POLICE AT WORK

Woman Found Dead in Her Home

STRANGER ENTERED HER HOUSE

The Victim's Nose Was Broken

FALL RIVER, May 29.—The simultaneous finding of the dead body of Mrs. Mary Worsley of 131 Shove street in her home just this side of the state line of Rhode Island and the discovery of her husband, William J. Worsley, paralyzed with liquor, in the street not far away, set the local police to investigating all day the possibility of a murder. The mystery is not yet cleared up, but it is now thought that nothing of that sort will develop. Worsley and his wife were a dissolute couple and for a day or two had been on a protracted spree.

Late Saturday night, Mrs. Mary Walmsley, who lives in a tenement adjacent to the Worsleys, discovered Worsley lying in the street, and she sent her son into the Worsley tenement to notify Mrs. Worsley. The lad returned, saying Mrs. Worsley was lying on the lounge looking "queer." Mrs. Walmsley then went into the tenement and saw that Mrs. Worsley was dead. Her face was covered with blood. Mrs. Walmsley notified the police.

Medical Examiner Buck found nothing to indicate violence save a slight cut on the nose, which had caused the flow of blood. The first glance tended to show that she had died of alcoholism.

On investigation it was learned that a life insurance collector had been in the tenement shortly before the woman was found dead. Mrs. Walmsley said that this collector, who was found to be Alderman Fred Moore, had called on the Worsleys, but had left after making a collection. There had been no trouble during his call. Soon after he went Worsley also left the house. Then Mrs. Walmsley, as she started to go out, heard a loud knocking at the door of the Worsley tenement and looking up the stairs saw a strange man pounding on the door. Who he was or what he wanted she did not wait to see, but hurried out on her errand. When she returned she discovered the woman dead and noticed that the panel of the door was splintered.

In the house was nothing to suggest violence.

TOOK DRUG

PHYSICIANS UNABLE TO SAVE DR. CRESSY'S LIFE.

BEVERLY, May 29.—Dr. Everett L. Cressy, aged 30, son of Charles H. Cressy, a retired shoe manufacturer, died at his home on Abbott street at 10.15 last night. Dr. Cressy was one of the best known physicians in the city and he had a large practice. He was a specialist on diseases of the hip.

Dr. Cressy had not been in the best of health for some time, and about a month ago he went to Savannah, Ga., returning home about a week ago.

He had been suffering from insomnia and Saturday night took an overdose of some drug, said to be morphine. Efforts to arouse him yesterday morning brought no response and upon investigation his critical condition was learned.

Physicians were quickly summoned, but could not save his life.

"CLEMENCE"

FINE PERFORMANCE IN ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE HALL.

An interesting and well carried out entertainment was held at St. Joseph's college hall by the young women of Cercle St. Agnes for the benefit of the parish work last night. Miss Nelida Cote, president of the club, had general charge of the arrangements.

The feature of the evening was the presentation of the charming little two-act play, entitled "Clemence."

GOING TO NEW YORK.

John H. Hamilton, the well-known baso soloist of St. Peter's choir left this city today for New York, where he goes as representative of the Lowell Machine Shop to superintend the setting up of a number of the company's new card machines. Last night the friends of Mr. Hamilton to the number of 25 called at his residence, 17 Hudson street, and presented him with a tool chest and a very costly outfit of tools. The presentation was made by George J. Welch. Mr. Hamilton made a feeling and appropriate reply. The remainder of the evening was spent in songs and literary entertainment.

BRUSH FIRE.

The members of engine 5 were called out to a brush fire Saturday on Woodward avenue on land owned by Miss Fay.

CHIMNEY FIRE.

A telephone alarm Saturday summoned a portion of the members of the central fire station to a chimney fire in a house in Dutton street owned by the estate of P. Guckien.

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BRIDE DROWNED

Tragedy Occurred Day After Marriage

SHE WAS BIDDING "GOOD NIGHT"

When She Fell From River Barge

NEW YORK, May 29.—In the presence of a party of friends who had spent most of the night celebrating her marriage which took place yesterday, Mrs. Delia Ahern, early today, lost her life by drowning. Her husband, who was within a few feet of the spot where the tragedy occurred, was ignorant of his bride's plight until it was too late to save her life.

Mrs. Ahern, who was 30 years old, was with her husband, Captain Patrick Ahern, and a party of friends on Captain Ahern's barge which was anchored in the Hudson river. The festivities continued until early today and when the visitors made preparations to leave the barge it was intensely dark. As she stood at the side of the vessel bidding her friends good night, Mrs. Ahern missed her footing and fell into the river. Michael Creegan, who was standing beside her, saw the woman fall and at once jumped to her assistance. The splash made by the two bodies was almost simultaneous, but when Captain Ahern and a policeman looked into the river only Creegan was in sight. They quickly pulled him out of the water, but when he was able to tell the reason for his plunge the woman's body could not be found.

FELL FROM CAR

FITZPATRICK STOOD UP AS CAR ROUNDED CURVE.

WOBURN, May 29.—In a peculiar accident last night Robert Fitzpatrick, employed on the Baldwin farm in North Woburn was badly injured and suffered a possible fracture of his skull.

He was on a northbound car of the Boston & Northern electric railway, and when the conductor came for his fare, Fitzpatrick stood up to put his hand into his pocket for the change. The car was just then rounding a curve on Main street, near Davis, and Fitzpatrick pitched head foremost from the car to the street, striking on his face.

He was picked up unconscious and was taken to the police station, where three doctors tried without success to revive him. His forehead was badly cut, his nose was crushed, and both eyes were injured. Whether his skull was fractured could not be determined. No blame attaches to the motorman or the conductor.

STUART DEAD

HE WAS RUN OVER BY AN ELECTRIC CAR.

NEWBURYPORT, May 29.—Douglas D. Stuart, aged about 37, of Amesbury was killed here shortly before midnight Saturday night by being run over by an electric car. He had spent the evening here and had started for home on the 11 o'clock car. Reaching the foot of Ashland street he left the car and walked back along the line of the track.

When the car in charge of conductor R. H. Bray and motorman Howard Trout came along Stuart was lying on a slight embankment near the foot of California street, with his head on one rail. The motorman noticed the man while the car was several yards away, but was unable to stop.

Stuart was a lineman and was employed by the Southern New Hampshire railway company. His body was viewed by the medical examiner and today taken to Amesbury. He leaves a family.

SOUVENIR NIGHT

OF THE STOCK COMPANY AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

Despite the hot weather and innumerable counter attractions, the Huntington-De Deyn stock company is drawing large crowds to the opera house. The attractions offered by this company are far beyond the average and the success that the company is enjoying is well merited. "When We Were Twenty-one" is the title of the piece to be presented this evening. Friday night will be souvenir night. It will mark the 100th performance of the Huntington-De Deyn stock company in Lowell.

CROSBY DEAD

HIS GRANDFATHER WAS BENJAMIN FRANKLIN BUTLER.

NEW YORK, May 29.—William Bedlow Crosby, one of the oldest lawyers in New York, and who was a paymaster in the navy during the Civil war and consul general to Rome under President Grant in 1872, is dead from heart disease at Dobbs Ferry.

His maternal grandfather was Benjamin Franklin Butler, attorney general of the United States under President Van Buren.

POACHING

JAPS SUSPECTED OF FISHING IN AMERICAN WATERS.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 29.—Horace A. Taylor, assistant secretary of the treasury, has reached here from Washington and states that orders have been issued for the revenue cutter Perry to start immediately for the Aleutian islands, to discover if Japanese fishermen are poaching in American waters. If found that it is so, Mr. Taylor asserts, the department of commerce and labor will take the matter in hand and endeavor to stop the operations of the fishing fleet.

GAY CHELMSFORD

Continued

SUNDAY'S OBSERVANCE.

Nature beamed on staid old Chelmsford town, yesterday and the 250th anniversary observance was most successfully set under way.

The residents of the town were up with the dawn and were greeted by a cloudless sky and indications of an ideal day. When the first car arrived at the Centre early in the morning the first visitors arrived and they continued to come on each succeeding car while others came in conveyances and even on foot. They came from Lowell, Westford, Tewksbury, Billerica and from afar and they comprised the greatest, happiest gathering of visitors that Chelmsford has ever seen.

Every home in the town held at least one guest while in some crowded quarters were gladly put up with and a lavish hospitality was exhibited on all sides.

With the Plymouth settlement only 35 years old when the first settlers of Chelmsford began the work of transforming the wilderness into the beautiful and peaceful village that now looks back with honest pride upon the achievements of its forbears, it is needless to state that the first settlers were among those who sought freedom of worship in the wilderness of this continent in preference to religious persecution at home. Thus it was eminently fitting that the 250th celebration should be formally opened with a grand union service, participated in by the six creeds represented in the town, Baptists, Catholics, Congregationalists, Episcopalians, Methodists and Unitarians.

The services were held in a mammoth tent erected in a roomy field next to the Central Congregational church.

The seating capacity of the tent is 2000, and there were 1700 persons present. The sides of the tent were up and a cool breeze coursed through the interior.

On a raised platform on the east side a chorus of 100 voices occupied seats and under the talented direction of Mr. Hubert Bearce furnished music for the meeting. The voluntary was the "Gloria" from Haydn's 12th mass and it was a most inspiring chorus.

Rev. C. H. Ellis, pastor of the Central Baptist church gave the invocation and the hymn was read by Rev. Joseph Aubrey Chase of Brooklyn, formerly a Chelmsford pastor. In response the audience was led by Rev. C. W. Williams of the First Baptist church South Chelmsford.

Buck's "Festival Anthem" was sung by the chorus, followed by the scriptural reading by Rev. Wilson Waters, pastor of the Centre Episcopal (All Saints) church. He read the first eight verses of the 44th Psalm, also parts of chapter 8 of the Prophet Zachariah. The prayer was made by Rev. A. F. Earnshaw, pastor of the Central Congregational church. The response, "Keep My Commandments," was given by the ladies' quartet.

Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, D. D., of Boston, was the speaker of the occasion, and he was introduced by Rev. D. A. Hudson of the Second Congregational church who said in part:

"As we turn back the pages of history, we find that the people first came here for religious reason. For 100 years there was only one church organization in this town, only one place of worship. If our ancestors who are dead could come back 250 years and witness this sight it would be a scene of intense gratification to find so magnificent an audience in religious gathering.

"When the town was incorporated in 1655, the glory was great in the forests which must have been magnificent in that day. But that glory was not developed. It remained to be developed. One of the first to work in the wilderness was Eliot, the missionary among the Indians. He had something immensely important to the early town.

"It is significant then, that the first meeting of the people of this celebration should be religious. It is also significant that the speaker of the day is an Eliot."

DR. ELIOT'S ADDRESS.

Rev. Dr. Eliot spoke in part as follows:

"Words pass as wind, but where great deeds were done
A power abides transfused from sire to son."

So sings the great poet of New England. We are here to seek the secret of that power and to enter into its prophetic strength.

This celebration is not instituted merely to nourish local pride or to make complaisant record of the deeds of our forefathers. We want to lift up the clear light of past experience that it may shine not only on the road already travelled, but also on paths as yet untrod. In recalling the aims and achievements of the forefathers we learn what manner of people we should be.

Were such celebrations a matter of mere ceremonial observance their multiplication would be idle and oppressive. But they are no lifeless and formal events, but replete with significance. They furnish the occasion for just tributes to the memory of brave men and women and for the enlargement of our knowledge of the historic and romantic associations of familiar scenes. They remind us that there is something worthy of commemoration in the history of New England and they uphold an enlightened patriotism.

Local history is the root of national history. Our national history has indeed its own wonderful and widespread pattern and design which can be seen and appreciated only when set before us upon an ample scale, but the detail of the pattern and the individual threads of the fabric, are to be found in local, family, village history. There are the dyes that give color to the story. There are the touches of reality that give human interest to the record. The warp and woof of history are in the daily doings of average people, in the loves and courtships and married devotion that we can read between the lines of every family genealogy, in the hardy industry that cleared the forests and built the stone walls, and dug wells and laid out roads and raised dwellings, in the eager cravings that founded schools and churches. Therefore it is that we can best trace the record of the nation that we love, and enter into the secrets of her

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J. ADAMS BARTLETT, CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE.

AMERICAN BOAT

Was Sunk by the Russian Fleet

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The Post today says that acting on instructions of President Roosevelt, Acting Secretary of State Loomis telegraphed Minister Griscom at Tokio, to inquire into the sinking of an American merchant steamer by the Russian Baltic fleet off Formosa.

SCHOOL AGE

HAS BEEN RAISED TO SIXTEEN YEARS.

BOSTON, May 29.—The State Board of Education calls the attention of school committees and superintendents to the fact that by the acts of 1905 the age for compulsory school attendance has been raised from 14 to 16 for children "who cannot read at sight and write legibly simple sentences in the English language," and that no employment certificate may be issued to a child under 16 who is not able to read at sight and to write legibly simple sentences in the English language.

The board says: "It is the intent of the new legislation that before leaving school every child should have acquired such facility in the use of reading and writing as to enable him to continue and finish him to be an intelligent worker. If the law is executed rigorously in its spirit, it will prove to be a noteworthy addition to the school legislation of the state."

SUDDEN DEATH

IRISH MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT PASSED AWAY SUDDENLY.

LONDON, May 29.—James Francis Xavier O'Brien, national member of parliament for Cork, died here suddenly yesterday. He was born in 1831.

Mr. O'Brien formerly was a tea and wine merchant in Dublin, but had lived in Cork since 1865. He was elected to parliament in 1885.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At Goodale's drug store, 217 Central st., price 50 and $1.00; guaranteed Trial bottle free.

MANICURING PARLORS

Miss Elizabeth V. Reardon, facial massage, manicuring and hair dressing. Room 53, Central block. Central street. Take the elevator. Telephone 1114-3.

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R. G. SULLIVAN, Mfr., Manchester, N. H.

IN POLICE COURT

Several Fines Imposed and Many Drunks

In police court today James F. Regan, a young man, who was charged with assault and battery and drunkenness, it being alleged that he assaulted a man named Cyrus Chase, who was also before the court for drunkenness.

Regan pleaded not guilty at first, but when three or four officers were sworn he changed his plea to guilty. Sergt. Connors told the court that about 6.20 o'clock on Saturday night he saw Regan and Chase in front of Cook, Taylor & Co.'s dry goods store.

He saw Regan push Chase and when the latter went towards Regan the latter punched Chase and knocked him down and out.

Regan when placed on the stand informed the court that Chase was trying to get money out of him and he struck him.

He was fined $10 for assault and the case of drunkenness was placed on file.

STOLE FLOWERS.

George Akasins, charged with taking flowers growing on a shrub on Fort Hill park pleaded not guilty through an interpreter.

John Meehan, a special police officer of the park, testified to seeing him picking lilacs, and that when he gave chase Akasins dropped them and ran.

Eugene McCann, another employe of the park, stated that when he heard Meehan shouting at him to head off the group of fellows who were running he started after them and saw the defendant in the act of pulling some lilacs from a tree.

Akasins stated that he got the flowers in a field and not in the park, but the court considered his story very weak and fined him $10.

JOHN J. FOX IN AGAIN.

John J. Fox, better known as "Jackie" Fox, had the police a lively chase this morning after he had stolen a small skull cap from the store of Joseph Steinberg in Middlesex street. Fox was captured at the corner of Gorham and Winter streets by about half a dozen people who had chased him a number of blocks. Fox put up a desperate battle with his pursuers and knocked several of them out, but they held on to him and when he was turned over to the police officers he was minus the greater part of his clothing.

It seems that shortly before ten o'clock this morning Fox was passing the store of Steinberg in Middlesex street and seeing some skull caps in sight, laid hold of one. He started to walk leisurely down the street, but some people who saw him take the cap notified the proprietor and the latter with several other people gave chase to "Jackie."

Fox shot through a side street to Jackson and then went through Elliot to Davis to the corner of Winter and Gorham streets where about half a dozen people grabbed him, including Steinberg who was badly kicked while trying to hold on to Fox. James F. McGregor who is proprietor of the Quincy house, was one of the men who grabbed Fox also and he received several kicks in the stomach which came near laying him out, while other people who grabbed Fox were treated to punches in the face and head.

Fox was fighting like a tiger with his assailants when Lieut. Webster and Officer Grinnell appeared on the scene and placed him under arrest.

He was a sorry looking spectacle when he reached the police station, however, for his clothing was torn from head to foot and he was badly bespattered with mud.

Fox is about 20 years of age and is well known to the police, having quite a long record.

John J. Luke and Mathew J. Riordan, who were recently sentenced to 14 days in jail and appealed were in court this morning to withdraw their appeal.

The cases of James Hancock, Michael Kelley and Richard J. Grant, charged with drunkenness, who figured in the accident in Bridge street, a week ago Saturday night, were continued, owing to the fact that the men were not in condition to appear, their injuries having been more serious than at first supposed. The cases were continued until June 9.

John Fleming a fourth offender, was sentenced to six months at the Concord reformatory, the suspended sentence being revoked.

Edward Jackson, a second offender, was taxed $6.

Patrick J. Carney, a third offender was sentenced to the common jail for four mnths, while Eugene Boucher received a similar sentence.

Frank Hallowood, who made his sixteenth appearance before the court, it being his third within a year, was sentenced to the common jail for six months. He appealed and was held in $200 bonds for the superior court.

LIQUOR CASE.

Edw. Connors of Dunstable, charged with keeping and exposing liquors for sale, had his case continued until Saturday morning, bonds being placed at $100.

SUNDAY DRUNKS.

The following Sunday drunks were fined 6 each: Michael Keating, Theodore Olsen, Walter O'Malley, George Caisse and Henry Morrissette.

SIMPLE DRUNKS.

The following drunks were fined $2 each: Michael J. McCarthy, Henry Whalen, John F. Carroll, Hartley Carver and James F. McGuirk.

WOMEN IN COURT.

The women were very much in evidence at police court this morning, an unusually large number appearing. Annie McGrade, Delia Hannagan, Annie Clark and Annie E. Healey were fined $2 each.

Lizzie Clark made her fifth appearance before the court and had a very long record. She was arrested by Officer John Dennett, from Bay State court, off West Fourth street. There was a goodly supply of liquor in the house at the time and three men were lying around the house, two of them being in a drunken condition, but the two drunks managed to make their escape before the officer could catch them.

Owing to her past record and the number of times she had been before the court during the current year she was sentenced to the women's reformatory at Sherborn.

Hats off to "Eddie" Murphy of the Mail. It's a boy, fine and hearty, and "Eddie" is wearing the smile that refuses to vacate.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.

SCORE INJURED

Electric Car Left the Rails

RAN INTO SAND EMBANKMENT

G. A. R. Veterans Were on Way Home

ATTLEBORO, May 29.—An electric car on the Attleboro and Pawtucket branch of the Interstate Consolidated street railway, carrying members of William A. Streeter, G. A. R. post, and the Women's relief corps to this town from a memorial service at the Methodist church of Hebronville shortly after noon yesterday, jumped the track on South Main street, between Thacher and Locust streets, and was brought to a stop by a sand bank and stone wall about 50 feet from where it left the track.

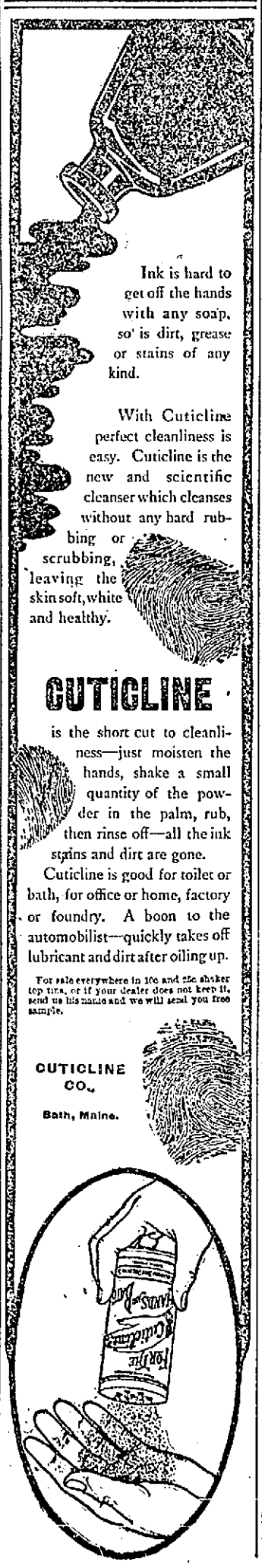
The car was moving at reduced speed on a slight down grade when the accident happened, but the momentum and impact were sufficient to throw the passengers about and from the car, several of them being badly injured and all more or less shaken up. There were 12 passengers on the car, in addition to motorman Thomas Dubuque and conductor Charles Evans, both of whom escaped injury. All of the injured live in Attleboro.

No reason can be attributed for the accident. At this point the tracks are almost straight for a long distance. The car was only slightly damaged.

A wrecking car and crew were hurried from Pawtucket and traffic resumed after a block of about two hours.

MAN IDENTIFIED.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The body of the man which was found in the North river on May 26 and on which was the sum of $1000, was identified yesterday as that of Thomas Roach, a young farmer of Greenwich, Washington, N. Y. He had been missing from home since April 22.



BOTH WERE DEAD

Mother and Child Were Struck by Train

NEW LONDON, May 29.—The body of Mrs. Selina Clark, aged 29, and that of her daughter Rose, aged 5 years, were found yesterday beside the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at Midway. It is supposed that they were struck and killed by the Merchants limited express Saturday night as a woman's hat is said to have been found on the pilot of the engine of that train at Providence. Mrs. Clark was a resident of Midway.

NEW ROAD

WILL BE CAPITALIZED AT $7,500,000.

NEW YORK, May 29.—A company which will be known as the Virginia and Carolina Railroad company will be incorporated within a few days with a capitalization of $7,500,000 for the purpose of constructing a railroad 200 miles long from Norfolk, Va., to Beaufort, N. C., and acquiring valuable lumber properties along the route.

Interested in the project are J. T. Odell of Pittsburg, vice-president and general manager of the Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad and chairman of the transportation committee of the United States Steel company; Rudolph Kleyholte & Co., New York bankers; Oakleigh Thorne, president of the Trust company of America and a director of the Seaboard Air Line; the law firm of Godkin & Chadbourne, New York, and F. E. Dewey, formerly manager of the Detroit and Lima Northern railway.

The Pittsburg parties interested have been connected with many iron and coal properties, but not identified in any way with lumber companies.

As soon as the company is incorporated it will purchase the properties of the John L. Roper Lumber company, including the mills at Norfolk and a big tract of timber in the region south of Norfolk. With the exception of the Atlantic Coast Lumber Corporation, of which E. C. Benedict of New York is president, the Roper company is the largest concern in that branch of business in Virginia and North Carolina.

The consideration for the purchase of the Roper company has been practically agreed upon. It is stated that the amount approximates $1,250,000.

The company will also acquire extensive timber tracts in North Carolina and absorb many smaller concerns. F. E. Dewey has acted as expert for the intending purchasers in appraising the value of the Roper company's properties and has also secured terms from owners of many smaller properties. The papers are in course of preparation in the offices of Godkin & Chadbourne.

Most of the timber lands of the Roper company are in North Carolina, and the raw timber is brought to the main mills of the company on the Elizabeth river just above the navy yard by the Dismal Swamp Canal. The company has smaller mills in North Carolina, but is handicapped by inadequate shipping facilities from them. It is understood that the railroad will be constructed almost entirely for the purpose of handling the lumber traffic.

RELEASED

PRIVATE SLEUTH WAS CHARGED WITH ABDUCTION.

NEW YORK, May 29.—James E. Mason, the private sleuth, who married Beatrice Harding, the sword dancer, at Niagara Falls, and has been tried twice in general sessions for abduction, the jury disagreeing each time, is in more trouble.

Mason was released by Judge Cowing on his own recognizance and when he thought he might meet his sword dancer wife, but she had been sent home from the House of Dentention to her father, a fire eater, and her mother, a snake charmer.

There were others waiting for Mason. As he stepped out of the court-room door he ran into two smartly dressed women.

"My turn now," said the first woman.

"And mine, too," said the second.

A Brooklyn detective who had been standing near put his hand on Mason's shoulder.

"My prisoner," said he, it being his opportunity to be dramatic.

Said the first woman: "That man is my husband. I was his first wife before he married that sword dancer. And to think we were married three years ago and this is the anniversary of our wedding! The brute! he left me penniless."

Said the second woman: "I'm from Brooklyn. He stole some diamonds from me."

Mason with his guide took the south trail from the criminal courts building for the bridge.

EYE CUT

JOSEPH McEVOY FELL IN THE STREET.

Joseph McEvoy, residing at 8 Bassett street, while passing through Liberty square today, fell and sustained a cut over his right eye. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Emergency hospital where his injury was dressed.

THE ELITE

SKATING THIS WEEK FROM 10 A. M. TO 11.30 P. M.

Admission Free.

Colonial Band in attendance at all sessions.

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Open 10 A. M. to 11.30 P. M.

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Rollaway Union Brass Band at every session. Winslow web steel and Turkey boxwood skates. Have your choice.

ADMISSION AND SKATES, 25c.

LATEST

SLOCUM STATUE

President Will Attend the Unveiling

NEW YORK, May 29.—Observance this year of Memorial day will be attended by more glitter and ceremony in New York city than has been shown in many years.

President Roosevelt is coming to Brooklyn principally to assist in the unveiling of the statue of General Henry W. Slocum. He will arrive in Jersey City at 7 a. m., and proceed by boat to Brooklyn.

Mayor McClellan, in behalf of the city, will accept the monument from Park Commissioner M. J. Kennedy. The address by the president will follow. Henry W. Slocum post, No. 28, will have the place of honor. Among the members of the committee who will welcome President Roosevelt at Sands street will be Jacob H. Schiff, George J. Gould and John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

Arrangements for the ceremonies in Manhattan are also on an extensive scale. The parade will be the largest in years, 16,000 men being expected to pass before the reviewing stand at Riverside Drive and Fifty-ninth street on their way to Grant's tomb.

FUNERALS

KILKENNEY—The remains of the late Mary Kilkenney were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral, which was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends of the deceased, including a large number from out-of-town, took place from her late home, 73 Charles street. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church in Gorham street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at ten o'clock by Rev. Hugh J. McDermod. Seated in the sanctuary was Rev. Fr. Rosa, pastor of St. Anthony's church, and Rev. Frs. Despouy and Pimental.

The choir which was augmented for the occasion was under the direction of Mr. John A. Waburton and the Gregorian mass was sung. At the offertory Miss Mollie G. Ivers rendered the "Pie Jesu," and after the elevation Mr. Joseph McCaffrey sang "O Meritum Passionis." At the conclusion of the service Mr. Jame E. Donnelly sang "He Wipes the Tear from Every Eye." As the remains were being borne from the church the choir sang the "De Profundis." Mrs. J. W. McKennedy presided at the organ.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances, the following being the most prominent: Pillow, bearing the inscription "Mother," from the children of the deceased; cycas palms and roses, Mrs. Bridget Crane; crown of poppies, inscribed "Sister," Mrs. Martin Hughes; wreath of pinks and galax leaves, Miss Maggie Kilkenney; sprays of pinks from J. A. Gregoire, Miss Bridget Murray, Mrs. Chas. Curtis, May Ella Meade, and Mrs. Geo. Conant; spray of roses, Miss Lizzie Watons; mound on base, from the members of St. Anthony's choir.

The bearers were Messrs. John Dillon, John Devine, John Donahoe and Philip Ginty.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the last sad rites of the Catholic church were solemnized by Rev. Fr. McDermod. The funeral was under the direction of funeral director Thomas J. McDermott.

McDONNELL—The funeral of Mrs. Mary McDonnell took place this morning from her home in Wakefield and was largely attended. At 9 o'colck a mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Joseph's church, Wakefield, Rev. Fr. Connor officiating. At the conclusion of mass the remains were brought to Lowell for burial in the family lot at St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers, J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BARDEN—The funeral of the late James Barden, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 8 Madison street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated, Rev. W. George Mullin officiating. The choir under the direction of Mr. Warburton sang Schmidt's mass, and during service rendered appropriate selections, Miss Josephine McKennedy presiding at the organ. The bearers were Martin McGrath, P. Maloney, Patrick Conners, Fred Marlow, Albert Ames and Edward Atkins. At the grave Rev. Fr. Mullin read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LAWLER—The remains of the late Thomas Lawler were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this afternoon. The funeral took place from the funeral parlors of Undertaker Thomas J. McDermott in Gorham street at two o'clock and proceeded to St. Peter's church where services were held at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. W. George Mullin officiating. The bearers were Messrs. John Harkins, Patrick Tierney, Thomas Burns, Peter Crowe, Edward McEnaney and Stephen Brennan.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of funeral director Thomas J. McDermott.

DEATHS

IRISH—Mrs. Mary A. Irish, aged 77 years, a former resident of this city and well known here, died yesterday at Salem Depot, N. H. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss six children, Mrs. L. J. Cramer of St. Johnsbury, Vt., Charles F. Irish of Fitchburg, Frank L. Irish of Worcester, William E. Irish of Lawrence, Elanson E. Irish of Salem Depot and Mrs. Jennie Huckins of this city. The funeral will take place Wednesday from her late home in Salem, N. H., at nine o'clock. Friends invited.

FORTIER—Edward E. Fortier, infant son of Quincy T. and Nina G., died yesterday morning at the home of his parents in North Billerica.

Philedean party North Billerica tonight.

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YOUNG SOLDIERS

Field Day of the High School Battalion

GREAT EVENT ON FAIR GROUNDS

Parade Preceded the Exhibition Drill

The annual field day of the High School Regiment was held on the Fair grounds this afternoon. This announcement is not absolutely a matter of news because the field day was ushered in with a parade that gave the high school lads an opportunity to show how correct and dignified they are in the line of march. Proud papas and mamas stood on the street corners this afternoon and watched, with pride and pleasure, the elastic and well-trained step of their boys who marched with the precision of veterans.

Previous to the drill this forenoon elaborate Memorial Day exercises were held in the school hall. The program of the exercises appears in another column.

At 12.30 the regiment assembled at the High school annex and the march to the Fair grounds was begun at 1 o'clock. The marchers were headed by the Lowell Military band and the High school drum corps.

The first number of the program was an individual drill, open to privates and non-commissioned officers of the regiment. There were two prizes, gold and silver medals, and a considerable number of the cadets appeared in the competition. The judges of this, and also of the company drill, were Capt. Philip McNulty of M company, Lieut. Pearl C. Durrell of G company and Lieut. Russell Going of C company.

Next on the program was a competitive drill in which the novelty of having one battalion give an exhibition while the companies of the other battalion are going through their competitive movements was introduced. The second battalion was the first to face the judges and while it was going through its evolutions the first battalion gave an exhibition drill in extended order. When the four companies of the second battalion had finished the first battalion took the center of the stage and the second battalion gave an exhibition of Butt's manual, the setting up drill in use in the regular army. There were three prizes for the company drills, pennants for the best and second best companies and a sword for the captain of the best appearing company. The movements in the company competitive drill were:

Form company and report to judges.
Open ranks, inspection by judges, close ranks.
Form column of squads to right.
Change direction and execute to the rear twice.
Form column of twos.
Form column of squads.
Form company to left or right, forward march.
Execute company left or right.
Manual of arms, including right shoulder, left shoulder, charge bayonets, port, order, parade, rest, attention.
Form column of platoons to front, form company to left or right.
Extended order, drill movements to be given by the judges.
Form squads, change direction.
Form company to right or left.
Manual on the march.
Form column of squads and change direction to left or right.
Form company to left or right, halt and salute judges.

The movements for the individual drill consisted of the manual, facing and marching movements.

Following the competitive drill came the regimental parade and at its conclusion the prizes were awarded to the winners by Chairman William C. Duncan of the school board.

The officer of the day was Captain G. Walter Clark and the field day program was edited by him.

LIVELY BEE HUNT.

BOSTON, May 29—There was a lively bee hunt at Lynn yesterday morning in which several officers, a posse of citizens and the owner of the bees indulged. The stingers were owned by Dr. W. F. McDonald, who lives in the block adjoining police headquarters, and raises honey as a side issue.

About 10.30 yesterday morning the honey makers broke jail. They descended from the third story of the building into Sutton street while that thoroughfare was comfortably filled with pedestrians. They landed upon their victims simultaneously and without notice, and quicker than one can tell it pedestrians got off the street and sought refuge in stores.

WANTED—A middle aged lady as housekeeper in widower's family. Apply evenings. 40 Hudson st.

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GRAFT CHARGES

Grand Jury is Expected to Furnish Sensation

CHICAGO, May 29.—Additions to the strike forces were expected today when all the firms in the Hardwood Lumbermen's association began to make deliveries to strike bound firms. There are 25 lumber firms in this association, employing about 125 teamsters. The drivers for 12 of the firms are on strike and the others probably will follow.

"We are going ahead with our deliveries," said Theodore Fathauer, president of the association, and by night I expect every driver in our line of business will have quit. We are ready to replace the union men immediately with non-union drivers and anticipate no delay to our customers."

The courts are likely to be centers of interest in connection with the teamsters' strike for the next day or two. Developments of an unusual nature in the hearing before U. S. master in chancery Sherman, are looked for, while the grand jury dragnet is expected to reveal surprising facts regarding "graft" charges. A sensation in the federal injunction proceedings was today said to hang upon subpoenas issued for Arthur Dixon, leading member of the Chicago team owners' association and Thomas J. Cannaugh, secretary of the same organization.

"NELLIE BLY"

WON A SUIT OVER MILK CAN PATENTS.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Judge Ray in the United States district court handed down a decision granting the Iron Clad Manufacturing company an injunction and an accounting against the two defendants, the Dairyman's Manufacturing company and the Orange County Milk association.

The Iron Clad Manufacturing company, which is owned largely by Mrs. Elbert Seaman, better known as "Nellie Bly," charges that milk cans used by the defendants in the transportation of milk were infringements of patented cans made and sold by the Iron Clad company.

In the long dragged out suit fully a carload of milk cans of various shapes and sizes were exhibited and thousands of pages of testimony were taken before Commissioner Shields as master. The case will probably be appealed.

THREE PERISHED

MEN BURNED TO DEATH IN A STABLE.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., May 29—Several small tenement houses and stables were burned today. William Betz, who was sleeping in a stable, was burned to death and two other men who entered the stable with Betz are also supposed to have perished in the flames.

FREIGHT SHED

WAS BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE.

BOSTON, May 29—A large freight shed owned by the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad company and used for the reception of inward bound lumber freight was damaged by fire this afternoon. The shed is located along the water front of the South Boston water front of the company. Owing to the danger of the flames spreading to nearby buildings, a second alarm was sounded to call additional apparatus, by the use of which the fire was controlled. No estimate of the damage was made until an examination of the shed and freight was held.

NOT GUILTY

BOXING CLUB PROMOTERS WERE ACQUITTED.

BOSTON, May 29.—In the superior criminal court today before Judge White, a verdict of not guilty was returned in the case of Frank E. Mundy, Thomas E. Powers, Peter F. Cassidy, Daniel M. O'Connell, Patrick J. Flaherty, and "Kid" Goodman of Chelsea, members of the Douglas Athletic club of that city, who were charged with having set up and promoted a boxing match and sparring exhibition on Feb. 22 without having obtained a license.

There were two counts in the indictment upon which they were tried and they were acquitted upon each count.

MAIL SACK

WAS FOUND IN SCARBORO MARSHES NEAR BIDDEFORD.

BIDDEFORD, Me., May 29.—The Biddeford post office was notified that a government mail sack was found today on the Scarboro marshes. It had been cut open and letters were found scattered about. The marshes extend along the Boston & Main railroad. The information was reported to C. E. Marshall of Portland, chief clerk of the railway mail service, and he sent an inspector to Scarboro.

Philedean party North Billerica tonight.

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RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR

Continued

EIGHT CAPTAINS WERE DROWNED

LONDON, May 29.—A dispatch to the London Evening News from Tokio says eight captains of Russian warships were drowned during the naval battle of Saturday in the straits of Korea.

HEAVY LOSSES OF THE RUSSIANS

TOKIO, May 29.—2.0 p. m.—In the battle fought Saturday in the straits of Korea the Russian battleships Borodino and Alexander III, the armored cruisers Admiral Nakhimoff, Dimitri Donskoi and Vladimir Monomach, the coast defence iron clad Admiral Oushakoff, the protected cruisers Svietlana and Jemtchung, the repair ship Kamtchatka and the cruiser Irtessim were sunk.

The battleships Orel and Nicholas I and the defence iron clads Admiral Seniavin and General Admiral Apraxine were captured.

The Borodino was a first-class battleship, completed in 1904, of 13,516 tons displacement and 16,000 horse power, giving her a speed of about 18 knots. She had an armored belt of from four to nine inches of Krupp steel and from six to ten inches of armor over her gun positions and bulkheads. Her armament consisted of four 12-inch guns, 12 six-inch guns and over 40 smaller rapid fire guns. Her crew numbered 740 officers and men.

The Alexander III was a sister ship of the Borodino and was also completed in 1904.

The Admiral Nakhimoff was an armored cruiser of 8524 tons displacement and 9000 indicated horse power, giving her a speed of 16 knots. She had eight inches of compound armor over her gun positions, carried eight 8-inch guns, ten 6-inch guns and about 20 smaller rapid fire guns. She had a complement of about 567 officers and men.

The Dmitri Donskoi was an armored cruiser of 6200 tons, sheathed, of 7000 indicated horse power and having a speed of about 16 knots. She had an armored belt six inches thick and had ten inches of armor over her bulkheads and heavy gun positions. Her armament consisted of six 6-inch guns, ten 4.7-inch guns and 16 quick firing guns. Her crew numbered 510 officers and men.

The Vladimir Monomah was a sheathed cruiser of 5593 tons and 7000 indicated horse power. She was completed in 1885, had a belt of compound armor six to ten inches thick, a protected deck of two inches of steel and carried five 8-inch guns, twelve 6-inch guns and 18 quick firing guns. Her crew numbered 550 officers and men.

The protected cruiser Jemtchug was of 3106 tons displacement and 17,000 indicated horse power, giving her a speed of about 23 knots. She was completed in 1903, had a protected deck of two inches of steel and carried six 4.7-inch guns, six 1.8-inch guns and two 1.4 inch guns. Her crew numbered 340 officers and men.

The repair ship Kamchatka was a most important unit of Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet. She is understood to have been fitted up with every scientific appliance available for the repair of warships and was discribed as being a "floating workshop." She was launched at the new Admiralty yard, St. Petersburg, Nov. 1, 1902. She was of 7200 tons displacement, was capable of carrying 3500 tons of coal and mounted six small quick firing guns. She had transport accommodations for 32 officers and 1000 men.

The Irtessim was probably an auxiliary cruiser but her name is not given in any of the naval lists available.

The battleship Orel is a first-class warship completed last year. She is probably of 13,156 tons displacement and 16,000 indicated horse power, giving her a speed of about 18 knots. She has an armored belt of four to nine inches of Krupp steel, her protected deck is of 1½ to 2½ inches of steel, she has six inches of Krupp steel above her belt, nine inches of Krupp steel on her bulkheads, ten inches of Krupp steel on her heavy gun positions, and six inches of Krupp steel over her secondary battery guns. The armament of the Orel consists of four 12-inch guns, twelve 6-inch guns and over 40 smaller rapid fire guns. Her crew numbered 740 officers and men.

Th battleship Nicilai I is of 9672 tons displacement and 8000 indicated horse power, giving her a speed of about 14 knots. She is sheathed and although completed as far back as 1892 was thoroughly overhauled in 1900. She has a compound armor belt 6 to 4 inches thick, has a steel protected deck 2 1-2 inches thick and has 6 to 10 inches of armor (compound) over her gun positions. Her armament consists of two 12-inch guns, four 9-inch guns, eight 6-inch guns and 12 quick firing guns in addition to a number of small rapid fire guns. Her complement is 604 officers and men.

The coast defence iron-clad Admiral Seniavin is a sister ship of the Admiral Oushakoff, sung by the Japanese in the battle fought in the straits of Korea.

The coast defence iron clad General Admiral Apraxine is of 4126 tons displacement and 5757 indicated horse power, giving her a speed of about 15 knots. She was completed at St. Petersburg in 1898, has an armor belt of harveyized steel 10 inches thick, a steel protected deck three inches thick and has from 7 to 8 inches of Krupp steel over her heavy gun positions. The armament of the Apraxine consists of 10-inch guns, four 6-inch guns and 14 rapid fire guns. She has a crew numbering 318 officers and men.

The Admiral Oushakoff, a coast defence iron-clad, was of 4648 tons displacement and 5000 indicated horse power. She was completed in 1895, had an armored belt 10 inches thick, a protected deck of three inches of steel and from 7 to 8 inches of armor over her heavy gun positions. Her armament consisted of four 9-inch guns, four 6-inch guns and six 1.8-inch guns, in addition to a number of smaller rapid fire guns. Her speed was 16 knots and she carried 218 officers and men.

The Svietlana was a protected cruiser of 3862 tons displacement, had 3828 indicated horse power, was completed in 1897 and had a speed of about 20 knots. She had a 2-inch protected deck of steel and four inches of armor over her gun positions. Her armament consisted of six 5.9-inch (canet) guns and ten 1.8-inch guns. She had a complement of 360 officers and men.

JAPS CHASING THE RUSSIANS

LONDON, May 29.—12.35 p. m. Up to noon today the foreign office was still without news of the naval battle from any British source in the far east. The Japanese legation was similarly without news from its government.

Reports are current on the stock exchange purporting to be from authoritative private sources to the effect that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's flagship, the Knias Souvaroff, was among the vessels sunk and that the Japanese are following up the Russians and picking off their ships one by one.

Operators on the stock exchange were cheerful over the far eastern news hoping that the battle might prove decisive and lead to peace. Consols went up 5-16 and Japanese bonds rose from 2 to 3½ points. In Russians no business was transacted. Nominally prices were unchanged.

Americans were 1 to 1¼ points over parity. Orders from Paris forced the prices higher.

The failure was announced of the Economic bank on Bishops' Gate street a small concern of no importance whatever.

JAPS CAPTURED 2000 PRISONERS

WASHINGTON, May 29.—An official telegram from Tokio states that Admiral Togo reports to his government that the total losses sustained by the Russian fleet Saturday and Sunday were: Two battleships, one coast defence armor clad, five cruisers, two special service ships and three destroyers—all sunk. In addition, there were captured two battleships, two coast defence armor clads; one special ship, one destroyer and over 2000 prisoners. Admiral Togo adds that the Japanese squadron was undamaged.

OFFICIAL NEWS OF THE BATTLE

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Official announcement of the result of the naval engagement between the Japanese and Russian fleets was received at the state department today in the folowing cablegram from Minister Griscom, dated Tokio, May 29:

"Admiral Togo has informed his government concerning the fight which took place on Saturday afternoon and Saturday evening. According to his report the Japanese fleet under his command destroyed and sunk one battleship of the Borodino class and four other large Russian war vessels. Two or three more were captured. None of the large Japanese men or war received serious injury.

"The battle was still in progress on Sunday. A great Japanese victory is announced here as the general result of the engagement but few details have been received."

BLACK PESSIMISM REIGNS IN RUSSIA

ST. PETERSBURG, May 29, 1.55 p. m.—At the admiralty this morning absolutely nothing was known of the naval battle in the Far East except the news contained in the dispatches of the Associated Press. The general impression produced by the cable messages was undoubtedly extremely gloomy. While Admiral Rojestvensky was expected to pay the price for reaching his haven at Vladivostok, the complete loss of two of his four best battleships besides several other warships with heavy damage to other ships which such havoc indicates, is admitted to spell disaster unless the Japanese suffered correspondingly. For this reason news from Vladivostok, where the first communication with the Russian fleet will be established, is awaited with intense anxiety. The admiralty calculates that wireless communication with Vladivostok might be established so early as this afternoon or tonight but as all dispatches must first go to the emperor the news is not likely to reach the public until tomorrow.

It is a matter of comment that the most reliable information received up to the time the official announcement was sent out from Tokio came by way of Washington. Some of the foreign press dispatches were very confusing, but everything seems to indicate that Togo delivered a series of desperate torpedo attacks during Saturday night with the support of his heavy ships. The reported sinking of so many ships it is believed might also be partially due to mines sown ahead of the advancing Russian columns. The belief is also strengthened that Rojestvensky was forced in order to secure homogeneity in speed and fighting power to divide his fleet, only a single division passing the straits of Korea, the other going around Japan. But the Straits of Korea division evidently included the pick of the Russian fleet, the Borodino and Orel being two of the four best battleships. It is possible that Admiral Rojestvensky transferred his flag from the battleship Kniaz Souvaroff to the Borodino or Orel before the fight in order to prevent the concentration of the Japanese fire on his own ship. Captain Sreberinnikoff of the Borodino and Captain Ignatieff of the Orel are regarded as extremely capable officers.

Owing to the decision of the newspapers to suspend Monday publications only telegrams are being printed on fly sheets. The Novoe Vremya alone comments editorially on the battle under the caption: "The hour of fate has struck." The paper says:

"Russia has been reproached with putting too much trust in God, sending too many Ikons to the war and not enough men. The result is now in the language of the Americans in the hands of 'The men behind the guns.' We Russians will be patient until the full results are known."

Black pessimism reigns among the public.

RUSSIAN FLEET WAS DIVIDED

BERLIN, May 29.—1.40 p. m. Work is almost suspended in the navy department this morning when 20 copies of the Tokio official bulletin of the Associated Press were distributed there. Few generalizations were made except that part of the Russian fleet engaged in the straits of Korea seemingly got away and will possibly reach Vladivostok. All the Russian fleet, it is said here, were not engaged in Korean waters. The fleet it is understood at the navy department, had divided, a portion sailing eastward of Japan.

Definite Japanese statements are accepted here as being generally accurate. Therefore it is assumed in professional quarters that the Japanese inflicted greater damage than they themselves sustained.

RUSSIAN ADMIRAL WAS CAPTURED

TOKIO, May 29, 3 p. m.—Rear Admiral Nebomkoff, former commander of the Fourth division of the Pacific fleet and recently commander of the information squadron, composed of scouts and merchantmen, with 3000 other Russians, is among prisoners captured by the Japanese. Vice Admiral Rojestvensky appears to have escaped. The battle began Saturday morning and the Japanese are still in pursuit of the Russians.

RUSSIA PLAYED HER LAST CARD

PARIS, May 29, 5.20 p. m.—The late dispatches of The Associated Press showing the crushing nature of the Russian defeat have led to the comment that Russia has played her last card and must bring the war to a close. The semi-official Temps this afternoon makes an urgent appeal on the subject, voicing the sentiment of the allied nation that Russia should abandon a struggle which has become hopeless and make the best peace possible.

The paper says Admiral Rojestvensky was the last hope and his defeat leaves Japan master of the seas without any further chance of the Russian navy or army achieving a victory.

THE HIGH SCHOOL

PLEASING PROGRAM FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

The following program constituted the Memorial day exercises at the High school this morning:

Chorus—The Heaven's Resound, Beethoven
Declamation, The Nation's Dead, Watterson
Francis Joseph Murphy.
Original Essay, Abraham Lincoln.
Edith Tasker Sanborn.
Reading, The Challenge, Kenower
Helen Margaret Gayton.
Quartet, In a Year, Handworz
Masters Buckle, Whipple, Shaw, Keables.
Original Essay, Thomas Jonathan Jackson.
Abraham Strauss.
The Hero of the Hill, Cooke
Ethel Rena Waller.
Chorus, Song of the Vikings, Faning
Declamations, The Name of Old Glary. Riley
Albert Munroe Nickerson.
Reading, Keenan's Charge, Lathron
Ivah Maude Connell.
Semi-Chorus, Lullaby, Webster
Violin obligato by Paul A. Sullivan.
Masters Buckle, Whipple, Shaw, Keables.
Misses Richardson, Small, Sanborn, Libby, Gallagher.
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NEW YORK

GRADUALLY BECOMING LARGEST CITY IN THE WORLD.

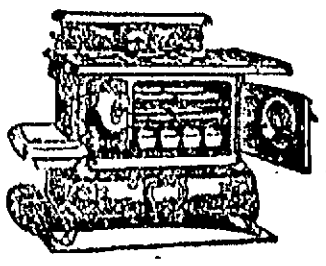
NEW YORK, May 29—Taking of the state census is to begin next Thursday. Experts believe the results will show that Greater New York is rapidly becoming the largest city in the world and that in actual figures it is not far behind London, which now holds the pre-eminence. London's 6,000,000 and odd inhabitants are distributed over an enormous area, which is largely what might be called suburban.

Considering New York as that community which radiates about 25 miles from the city hall, includes nearly 2000 square miles of ground and is populated almost altogether by persons who come to Manhattan every day and in everything except from the nominal residence spend their lives here, the figures, it has been estimated, will reach 5,450,091.

RUBBER CO.

HAS INCREASED ITS CAPITAL STOCK.

TRENTON, N. J., May 29— The United States Rubber company filed an amended certificate of incorporation here Friday increasing its capital stock from $50,000,000 to $75,000,000, creating a third class of stock and authorizing the purchase of a controlling interest in the Rubber Goods Manufacturing empany. The changes were authorized at a stockholders' meeting held at New Brunswick yesterday. Anthony N. Brady was authorized by the resolution to make a conditional contract for not less than 67 per cent. of the stock of the Rubber Goods Manufacturing company. This was all in accordance with plans previously announced.



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FOUGHT DUEL

COUNT KEGLEVICH STABBED IN THE HEART.

BUDAPEST, Hungary, May 29—Count Stefan Keglevich was killed today by Karl Henrz, of the People's party, in a duel fought with swords. The meeting was the outcome of a heated dispute in the chamber of deputies. Keglevich, who was wounded in the region of the heart, died almost instantly.

Philedean party North Billerica tonight.

HEADS OF SCHOOLS

VISITED THE TEXTILE SCHOOL ON SATURDAY.

Thirty-five superintendents of public schools in Massachusetts visited the Textile school in this city Saturday. The following named persons were in the party: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bates, Cambridge; D. B. Russell, Sr., Brockton; D. B. Russell, Jr., Brockton; George A. Walters, West Newton; C. L. Hunt, Clinton; E. Walton, Sharon; Miss Brinkhaus, Malden; Wilson L. Gill, Philadelphia, Pa.; B. Norman Strong, Hartford, Conn.; George P. Armstrong, Belmont; C. E. Stevens, Stoneham; Robert C. Metcalf, Winchester; Freeman Hall, North Adams, George I. Clapp, Woburn; Charles F. Adams, Spencer; J. T. Whitney, Medford; Charles H. Morse, Medford; F. C. Heald, East Weymouth; C. S. Lyman, Amesbury; M. J. West, Millis; H. J. Jones, Holden; Miss S. F. Drury, Everett; J. M. Rowell, Everett; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Grant, East Bridgewater; Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Draper, Hyde Park; V. G. Wheeler, Everett; J. A. MacDougall, Braintree; Herbert W. Lull, Newport, R. I.; W. H. Chase, Leominster; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Whitcomb, Lowell.

CAPT. GODDARD

MAN WHO KILLED POLICY GAME DEAD.

LITCHFIELD, Conn., May 29.—Capt. F. Norton Goddard, head of the New York anti-policy society and prominent in other reform work in that city, died suddenly yesterday morning at his country home here. A brain hemorrhage, with which he was attacked unexpectedly after several weeks of poor health that was ascribed to rheumatism and nervous prostration, was the cause of his death.

Capt. Goddard came to Litchfield with his family about three weeks ago, hoping that his health would be improved in the air of the hill country.

BISHOP STANG

PLEADS FOR RESTORATION OF POPE'S TEMPORAL POWER.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Bishop Stang of Fall River, Mass., addressed an immense audience at Carnegie hall last night, the meeting being in connection with the annual convention of the Federation of German Catholic societies, which opened here yesterday. On the platform were also Archbishop Farley and Mgr. Dauffenbach and Mooney.

Bishop Stang, in the course of his address, pleaded for the restoration of the temporal power of the pope.

BUILDING REPORTS.

Throughout the country reports show a most satisfactory condition in building operations. The American Contractor has compiled a table showing the building activities in the principal cities. New York heads the list with an aggregate of $23,000,000 during the month of April, an increase of 34 to 73 per cent, according to locality. Chicago comes next with $7,298,000, a gain of 70 per cent, and then Philadelphia with $3,310,740, a loss of 5 per cent. Pittsburg presses Philadelphia closely with operations reaching $2,192,793, a gain of 39 per cent. Washington operations reach $2,147,870 and Minneapolis $1,572,625. The other cities reaching the million mark are Cincinnati, Detroit, Milwaukee and Winnipeg, Rochester, N. Y., and Kansas City Mo., just miss reaching the million dollar mark. In the losing column are placed in the order named: Spokane 47 per cent., Newark, N. J., New Haven, Alleghany, Pa., Manchester, N. H., and Buffalo, the latter with a loss of 15 per cent.

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FEAST OBSERVED

Portuguese Celebrated St. Michael's Day

St. Michael's Day or the feast of Ecce Homo, it being known as the latter to the natives and descendents of natives of St. Michael' sAzores group, was observed in this city yesterday by Portuguese from Fall River, New Bedford, Boston, Lawrence and this city.

The exercises opened on the eve of the feast, Saturday night, when the Portuguese paraded through the Portuguese section of the city, preceded by the Cadet band.

Yesterday morning the societies from cities around Lowell began to arrive here and at eleven o'clock a solemn high mass was celebrated at St. Anthony's church.

The interior of the church was beautifully decorated with the Portuguese and American flags, while the altar was decorated in an artistic manner with flowers. The celebrant of the mass was Rev. J. V. De Rosa, pastor of the church. Rev. Fr. Despony was deacon, and Rev. J. J. Pimental, of New Bedford, was sub-deacon.

Peter's mass in D was sung by an augmented choir under the direction of Peter A. Clune, with Miss Lulu Gluty as the organist. Miss Hattie Fox sustained the soprano solos of the beautiful musical service. Mr. Clune sang a "Veni Creator," and at the offertory a trio was given by Miss Fox, Mr. Clune and Mr. James Haley.

The religious societies connected with the church then formed in line, headed by the priests with the crucifix. The procession was continued outside the church, through Congress street to Thorndike, and to Davis corner, where the marchers went inside of the church again. The members of the out-of-town benefit societies, all in military uniforms, formed in files, between which the little girls and boys marched.

At the conclusion of the procession solemn benediction was pronounced by the celebrant. "O Salutaris" was sung by Mr. Haley and a "Tantum Ergo" by the choir.

The religious part of the three days' feast came to a close shortly after two o'clock in the afternoon. The military feature was then in order. Four bands were in line, while about 800 uniformed men took part and marched through the principal streets of the city.

The line was headed by the Lowell Cadet band, followed by Manuel M. Santos, chief marshal of the day, and his aids. Then came the Royal St. Michael's association of this city, 100 men, after which came the Boston & Maine Y. M. C. A. band of Boston heading society No. 1 of Boston with 175 men.

A. Jordan was captain of this contingent. Society No. 2, also of Boston, appeared with 50 men in line, captained by P. Travis.

The Recreation band, of Fall River, 20 pieces, headed Society No. 3, which was commanded by Anton Augustus. The Military band of New Bedford led Society No. 4. This last society had 75 men in line.

Carriages containing invited guests and officers of the National association brought up the rear. In the first carriages were Supreme President Manuel P. Camara, of Fall River; Supreme Secretary Anton George of Boston and Antonio Pleano of this city.

In the other carriage were Anton Rabello, C. Rabello and Daniel Jordan, of the supreme board of directors and A. Augustus and Frank Perry, of the supreme board of trustees. Dr. H. A. Rosa, of Fall River, a well-known young physician, was among the invited guests to ride.

The line formed in Davis square and went through Back Central street to Church street, to High street, to East Merrimack to Merrimack, countermarch at city hall through Merrimack to Central to Hurd street where the parade was disbanded.

A fine banquet was held at the Rollaway skating rink in the Central block in Hurd street. Four long tables were heavily laden with good things to eat while a fifth table was used by the officers of the different organizations.

One hour was taken up at the tables, following which Chief Marshal Santos called the assemblage to order. In a brief speech he introduced President Camara and Dr. Rosa. The latter spoke in English and evoked much enthusiasm.

About 5 o'clock the formal exercises were closed, the out-of-town delegations leaving for their homes on special trains. The celebration was the most complete ever held in Lowell by the Portuguese societies.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.

The White Store will be closed all day tomorrow

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FOUND DEAD

THOMAS SULLIVAN PASSED AWAY IN GYPSY CAMP.

Thomas Sullivan, who was recently left considerable money, and who had about $300 in his pockets within a few weeks, was found dead yesterday near the gypsy camp in Chelmsford not far from Golden Cove.

He has some well-to-do relatives living in the vicinity of Boston and they have been notified.

Sullivan has been going at a fast gait for some time, it is said. He was seen in Lowell Saturday and was as well as usual apparently. Medical Examiner Irish examined the body and pronounced the death due to alcoholism. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

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NOTE—"Elizabeth" is the highest type of a high school saddle mare. She has all the gaits that are acquired in the high schools of Kentucky. She is built like a reindeer and is simply perfection. She has carried me for one year, and I weigh 200 lbs. Outside of her saddle qualities she is a rare carriage animal with free open movement and rounds cheerfully 10 miles per hour.

TO INTENDING BUYERS—I have bought an automobile and have placed these two mares with Messrs. Hanson & Co., to be sold at their Thursday auction. I shall no doubt regret the change. I personally went to Kentucky, selected these two mares, and I stand ready to say and do say, two better ones were never offered in the state. They can be seen and ridden or driven at Hanson's stables, at any time after Tuesday evening.

TO BE SOLD AT 1 O'CLOCK, THURSDAY, MAY 25TH.

Per order C. E. SMITH, Of Nashua, N. H.

These are the horses advertised to be sold at our last sale, May 25, but owing to a misunderstanding were not offered on above date, but will positively be sold at our next sale.

Can be seen, ridden or driven at our stable any time after Tuesday noon.

FUNERALS

SIMPSON—The funeral of Thomas W. Simpson took place Saturday afternoon from his late home, 324 Stevens street. Rev. Clarence Williams officiated. The bearers were four sons of the deceased, Dr. Charles E. Simpson, George, Albion and Tennyson Simpson. Burial was in Windham, N. H. Undertakers C. M. Young & Co. had charge.

BELL—The funeral of Fred Bell took place yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from 59 Tyler street. Rev. N. W. Mathews officiated. There was singing by Miss Alice Scoble, Mrs. Fred Potter, Messrs. N. W. Matthews, Jr., and Fred Potter. The bearers were Joseph Richards, Joseph Fleming, Mr. Walker and Mr. Wetherbee. A delegation from Lowell lodge, K. of P., were present and conducted their special service at the grave in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers C. M. Young & Co. had charge.

SOPER—The funeral of Mary T. Soper took place yesterday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from 208 Middlesex street, and at 2 o'clock from St. Peter's church, Rev. Fr. Burns officiated. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. The bearers were John S. Fay, Henry Quinn, William Maher and Joseph Valleroud. Undertaker C. H. Molloy had charge.

O'KEEFE—The funeral of Michael O'Keefe took place Saturday afternoon from 15 Marion street. The bearers were John Riley, John Parker, Patrick Kelley, Fred Cronin, John Morrissey and Patrick Cavanaugh. At the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery Rev. Fr. Gilday read the committal prayers. Undertaker C. H. Molloy had charge.

SWANWICK—The funeral of Gladys A. Swanwick took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 14 Billerica street, at 2 o'clock. Rev. Robert F. True officiated. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck had charge.

NICHOLS—The funeral of Charles P. Nichols took place Saturday afternoon from 1019 Middlesex street. Rev. Charles T. Billings officiated. The Temple male quartet sang. Harry A. Brown had charge of the funeral arrangements. A very large number of the friends of the deceased gathered to pay their last respects and the services were most appropriate. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery. Undertaker J. B. Currier had charge. The bearers were George Whiting, Joseph P. Battles, Joseph A. Nesmith and David Goddard.

DEATHS

WATKYNS—Mrs. Walter Watkyns, a well known Pawtucketville resident, died yesterday at her home, 14 Mt. Grove street, after a long and painful illness. Besides her husband, she leaves three children, Leo, Irene and Ruby; her father, Pierre Hebert; five brothers, Joseph, Marcel, Solomon, Alfred and Napoleon Hebert, all of this city, and two sisters, Mrs. Charles Rodier of Suncook, N. H., and Mrs. Adeline St. Amand of this city.

WISWELL—Harriet Falls Wiswell, wife of J. Norman Wiswell, of Bethlehem, N. H., died in Boston, May 27. She was the second daughter of Alonzo Falls of this city and was born in Amesbury, Mass., October 10, 1870. She leaves a father, Alonzo Falls, two sisters, Mrs. E. F. Harwood and Miss Florence Falls, one brother, Frank R., of Chicopee, Mass.; and one niece, Miss Elsie Harwood. Funeral notice later.

GRAY—Sarah Gray, an old resident of this city, died yesterday at the home of her son, John T. Ryan, 34 Hovey avenue. She is survived by her husband, Patrick Gray, and one son, John T. Ryan, the well known painter.

BARDEN—James Barden, aged 47 years, died Saturday at his home, 8 Madison street. He is survived by a wife and four daughters, Misses Susan, Mary E., Hannah and Catherine V. Barden.

NOONAN—Miss Alice Noonan, formerly of Lowell, died Saturday at her home in Tufts avenue, Beverly, Mass. The remains will be brought to Lowell Tuesday morning by Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons and at 9.30 a mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church.

ROY—William Roy, aged 20 years, 6 months and 27 days, died Saturday night at his residence, 1 Regina place. He leaves a father, William Roy, five brothers, Arthur, Theophile, Ferdinand, Eugene and Louis Roy, and five sisters, Misses Eugenie, Maria, Albertina, Yvonne and Angelina Roy.

FR. MULLIN

WILL SPEND THREE MONTHS IN CALIFORNIA.

The Rev. W. George Mullin, assistant pastor of St. Peter's church, leaves tomorrow afternoon for an extended tour of the Pacific coast. Father Mullin will be absent from his clerical duties at St. Peter's for more than three months. During his trip he will visit all the points of interest in the states of California, Oregon and Washington. The greater portion of his time, however, will be spent in the southern portion of California.

The reverend clergyman during his priestly service in this city has labored indefatigably for the welfare of the parish and of the Catholics of the city. He in these labors was unmindful of his own health, so much so that he has become completely run down, and takes this extended vacation with the hope that he can in some small way recover his former good health. The national convention of the Knights of Columbus will be held in San Francisco during the month of June, and as the reverend father is a member of this organization, he will undoubtedly attend the meetings. Father Mullin will be accompanied on his trip to California by Dennis J. Murphy, Esq., and William Sullivan, delegates to the Knights of Columbus convention. Mr. Henry L. Roarke will also accompany them.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.

CLEVER PALMIST SETTLES IN LOWELL

Tells of the Many Fakirs Who Are in the Business.

B. Elias Sterling, palmist, who has taken up quarters permanently in Lowell at, 81 Merrimack street, has had wonderful success in the south and west in his profession, according to hundreds of credentials from prominent citizens and newspapers in various sections of the country.

Yesterday afternoon a Lowell Sun reporter had a long talk with the palmist, and in the course of the interview had opportunity to look over the numerous references that the palmist carries.

Among the newspapers with which Prof. Sterling was connected was the Scripps-McRae Association, which is a combination of a dozen publications with a circulation of about 400,000. From the Kentucky Post, a member of this association, Prof. Sterling showed the following signed statement:

"A very satisfactory contract made by the Kentucky Post with Prof. B. Elias Sterling, the palmist, has just been completed. The feature attracted much attention and brought out thousands of responses. Every promise made to us by Prof. Sterling was carried out and all bills promptly met. It is with pleasure and sincerity that we can cordially recommend him.

"THE KENTUCKY POST,
"John T. Sullivan, Jr., Business Mgr."

In discussing imitators and fakirs, Prof. Sterling said: "They are numerous, and it is small wonder that the public is sometimes skeptical. I have much to contend with sometimes on this account. Naturally, as a means of protection, I always obtain credentials from persons with whom I do business, so that there can be no doubt as to my identity. I have been associated with some of the leading papers of the west and south, and have done work for many prominent men of the country. I have leased quarters in Lowell for one year, and expect to share the confidence of the public of Lowell as I have elsewhere."

From this time on, all America Will be crying for Ice Cream

This is the month of May and just think of the quantity of cream that will be eaten before the end of the summer season. Good, bad and indifferent, is the way the cream goes. Some people never eat but the best, some never taste the best, while others eat any kind that comes along. For the people who want the best we have just a word to say. We make but one kind of cream, that's the best. You can find any flavor to suit your taste. We always have five or six different flavors on hand and make others for special occasions.

We put the best materials into the mixture, we use the right kind and amount of flavoring, we freeze it just long enough, just fast enough to produce that kind of cream that is loved by the people. We serve it here or send it to your home.

HARRY RICHARDSON

Merrimack Square

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—A young girl wants to do housework. Inquire at Sun Office.

WANTED—A position as typewriter or office assistant and is willing to work for small wages. Address B .S., Sun Office.

WANTED—A situation by an experienced lady bookkeeper or would do office or store work. Good references. Address E. D., Sun Office.

WANTED—A situation at light housework by a respectable, competent woman. Address C. J., Sun Office.

SPECIAL NOTICES

AB TO COFFEES—You can buy them at all prices. Our fresh roasted high grade Coffees give satisfaction, therefore they are the goods you should drink. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack st.

LINER BROS., 89 Chelmsford st., cor. Howard will paper a room with match border, $1.75; also painting, whitewashing, etc., at the lowest price. First class work guaranteed.

REAL ESTATE MEN, PROPERTY OWNERS, ETC.—Will paper your room, furnishing paper and border to match the same including the hanging, for $1.75, special prices given for work consisting of more than one room; estimates furnished on inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc., first-class work guaranteed. Baker (The New Racket), 363 Middlesex st.

A NURSE trained in Maternity hospital, specially for confinement cases, highest medical references, terms moderate. Mrs. Battle, Maternity Nurse, 24 Third st.

LAWN MOWERS and mowing machines sharpened and repaired. Called for and returned. Telephone 654-2. Robert Carruthers, corner Church and Warren sts.

PRESCOTT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—Reliable help of all kinds wanted and furnished. Mill, farm, domestic, beach and mountain hotel help a specialty. 34 Prescott st., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 893-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A pay envelope with name on it on Thorndike or Middlesex sts. Sat. a. m. Return to Sun Office and receive reward.

FOUND—A brown and white bull terrier, short tail, long ears, collar without name. Call at 24 Wall st.

LOST—Between High street and Carpet mill on Friday a. m., pocketbook containing sum of money. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving at 101 High street.

FOUND—Black leather chatelaine bag containing rosary beads and handkerchief. Owner can have by calling at Oriental Bazaar, 200 Merrimack st.

LOST—A lady's silver watch between Caesar Misch's store, Church and Andover sts. Return to 38 Fort Hill Ave. and receive reward.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, two elegant new cottages of 8 rooms, pantry and bath room, city water and sewerage on Weed st. Inquire Peter O'Neil, 120 Bowden st.

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HOUSE LOTS

Only 15 minutes ride from Merrimack square, and Wilbur is the leader in low prices; only a few $19 lots left; $2 is all you need to secure one. Call and see our salesman, M. A. FOGG, room 22, Hildreth building.

MISCELLANEOUS

PALMISTRY is a science. Marvelous revelations by the famous Sterling Palmist; fair and square in all his dealings with the people. Oriental Temple of Palmistry and Astrology, 81 Merrimack street. Have your hands read. Charges to have your hands read are 25 cents and 50 cents. Office hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. daily and Sunday. Ladies and gentlemen are invited to investigate. He has dozens of splendid recommendations from governors, mayors, sheriffs, chiefs of police, judges, lawyers, councilmen, railroad officials and from several of the leading newspapers in America, as to his ability, and if you would like to read the recommendations he will gladly show them to you in his office, 81 Merrimack st., up stairs, one flight. Ladies can visit him without fear of having their confidence betrayed, and gentlemen need have no fear of being imposed upon. All will find in him a reliable medium and palmist, and a gentleman as well. He gives dates, facts and figures, reliable information on all business undertakings, warns you of coming dangers, averts trouble, sickness, etc., guides you aright in all affairs of life, marriage, divorce, love, law and speculation; tells if friends are true or false. He has made it his life study, and has now reached such a highly developed condition that he can read your life like a book and give you proper advice.

RENOVATE YOUR HOME for $2 a room. M. Goldstein Co., dealers in wall papers and mouldings. We do paper hanging, whitewashing, painting and kalsomining; inside and outside work, large and small jobs promptly attended to. 163 Chelmsford st.

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MRS. ADAMS, clairvoyant, and card reader. Office hours 10 to 12, 2 to 10. 355 Gorham st.

NOW IS THE TIME to bring in your Panama hats and have them cleaned. We have all the latest shapes in stiff hats. We will give a hat cleaner free with every purchase of a hat at J. Delorme's, 261 Middlesex st. The famous hatter.

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PILES, HEMORRHOIDS—Rectal trouble sufferers. I am no free sample deposit or C. O. D. fakir. I was positively cured years standing. Have cured hundreds severe cases by the formula of a specialist of highest standing. Formula—Advice 50 cts. Treatment inexpensive. M. Adams, 239 A Pearl st., Somerville, Mass.

GENERAL REPAIRING, tenements specially. 1 Charles Court, off Charles st. 2 flights up.

MIRACLE. The great German rust exterminator. Takes the rust off lawn mowers, cutlery, in fact everything, without labor. Once used always used. For sale by all leading hardware houses. Price 25 cents. Hugo Hill, Manufacturer.

MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair, harmless, 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1123 Bridge street. Telephone.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Experienced operators on button and button hole machines; also stitchers on high speed power machines, making muslin underwear, work steady, clean, and good pay, large airy workroom. Apply at Whittall Mfg. Co., 69 Willie st.

WANTED—At once, a carpenter. Apply Lowell Bath House Co., 101 Pawtucket st. Come ready for work.

WANTED at once, a woman to wash and iron 2 days a week. Call at 21 Twelfth st.

WANTED—Experienced table girl, and girl for second work, in boarding house, at once. 116 Appleton st.

WANTED—At once, 2 good awning makers. Call at 260 Dutton st., Cross Awning Co.

WANTED—Kitchen girl. Apply 323 Central st.

WANTED—A house girl at 162 Chelmsford st.

WANTED—At once, vampers at Stover & Bean's, Thorndike st.

YOUNG MEN wanted immediately for special positions paying not less than $20 a week. Write today. Address, Clark Co., Box 800, Scranton, Pa.

YOUNG GREEK (18) desires position in private family. Can talk little English and can read and write very well. John Jouron, 250 Suffolk st., Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Men everywhere, good pay; to distribute circulars, adv. matter, tack signs, etc. No canvassing. National Adv. Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Manager for new branch of our business here in Lowell. Write promptly, with references. The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—Men to distribute samples, tack signs, $3.00 daily. No canvassing. Continental Distributing Service, Chicago.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn good income corresponding for newspapers. Experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—A young man about seventeen to learn the furnishing goods business. Address Furnisher, Sun Office.

WANTED—Local representatives, $35 to $50 per week to right party. Old established business. Best of references and security required, as party will be entrusted with financial responsibilities. Room 1147, Old South Bldg., Boston, Mass.

WANTED—A barber to work nights and Saturdays at 9 Salem st.

WANTED—Experienced seamstress, no other need apply. Inquire 16 Alder st.

WANTED—An experienced cook at 623 Central st.

WANTED—Knitters at the Criterion Knitting Co., 259 Tanner st.

WANTED—Experienced stock fitter, stock cutter and nailers. Apply A. A. Flint, Box Factory, Tyngsboro, Mass.

WANTED—Men everywhere, good pay; to distribute circulars, adv. matter, tack signs, etc. No canvassing. National Adv. Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Taylor, 29 Twelfth st.

RELIABLE HELP of all kinds wanted. Mill help, worsted sewers, $12 per week. Web drawers on wire or warp can make from $8 to $12 per week, also weaver on woolen goods, farm hands, general housework girls wanted, also cooks, table girls, to go to the seashores or mountains. Prescott Employment Bureau, 34 Prescott st., Lowell, Tel. 893-2.

WANTED—At the Talbot mills, North Billerica, weavers for plain and fancy work.

WANTED

WANTED—An empty store in good locality with tenement connected. Inquire at the Sun Office.

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WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

WANTED—Summer boarders at Amherst hotel, Amherst, N. H., first class board at reasonable price. H. B. Rinter.

WANTED—To buy bottom mortgage for cash, state location and amount. A. B., Sun Office.

WANTED—Small tenement of 2 or 3 rooms, centrally located. Address A. L. C., Sun Office.

WANTED—Washing, cleaning and ironing. Inquire 295 Middlesex street, 4 rear.

WEAVERS WANTED

For white cotton, fancy work, steady work and good wages. Call at Merrimack House, between 2 and 4 p. m. next Tuesday.

INFORMATION WANTED

NOTICE—DIVORCES

Strictly private advice and book free. Short wait, prompt, efficient, references everywhere, success in all counties in Massachusetts, lowest fee, easily paid. Our only office. Lawyer, 47 Court St., Room 11, Boston, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY LOANED to salaried people on their own personal note at Kelley's, 322 Middlesex street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security, salaried people and others. Best terms, liberal discount, commission paid. Merrimack Loan Co., Associate Building.

MONEY LOANED—Overcome your difficulties, our plan of loaning money on salaries is the most liberal to be found anywhere, easy weekly payments. All transactions confidential. Massachusetts Loan Co., Room 22, Hildreth Building.

MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters and others, without security, easy payments, offices in 50 leading cities. Tolman, room 48 Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to salaried people, merchants, boarding house keepers, teamsters, etc. Easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city. Confidential; no publicity; no delay. Special inducements for quick payments. Private office. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott st., room 5, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central st.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, room 9, Barristers' Hall.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—200 loads of nice mortar and 40,000 bricks. Will load teams with dirt free of charge. School street at Gas Works. Inquire of Jaques Boisvert, 83 Ennell st. Tel. 1458-2.

FOR SALE—A small lodging house to be sold on Paige st., No. 43. Price is $75. Please call afternoons, handy to the Boott mills; the party is going to Canada.

$100 TO $250—4 house lots for sale off Tolman st., Pawtucketville. Address F., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—To be removed, two-story building, situated on Congress street in rear of St. Anthony's church. Apply at 7 Congress st.

FOR SALE—A large boarding house must be sold at once on account of sickness. Room 41, Hildreth Bldg.

FOR SALE—A Hub Oak parlor stove, No. 8 range and blue flame oil stove. Will be sold cheap, owner leaving city. Can be seen at 250 Westford st., upstairs. L. V. Wright.

FOR SALE—Contents of a five room flat, including piano, steel range, refrigerator, etc. 18 Crowley st.

FOR SALE at half its value, well furnished, good paying lodging house. Inquire at Sun Office.

PIGS—Young well bred pigs for sale. Inquire at Putnam's market or at his farm near P. P. Perham's, Chelmsford.

MILLINERY GOODS of all kinds. We have no expensive rent so can afford to sell much cheaper than others. Call and see. 95 Westford st.

MUST SELL my store and lodging house, wife sick, price no object., C. S., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—A double cylinder Knox touring car or a single runabout Knox, single cylinder, will sell one or both. Inquire at 176 Branch st.

FOR SALE—Dunlap's king of washing powder for sale by all grocers.

FOR SALE—Whole or half interest in cigar, tobacco and fruit store. Address B, Sun Office.

TO LET

TO LET—Cottage, barn and land for garden, just outside city on car line. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—Furnished rooms. Inquire at 59 Kirk st.

TO RENT—Cottage of 7 rooms, also 2 stalls. Inquire 179 Salem st.

TO LET—Rooms, offices and suites for housekeeping at the New Wentworth 298 Merrimack st. Everything new and clean, and under new management. Apply to matron.

TO LET—Two rooms for light housekeeping on Merrimack st. well down town, $1.25 per week. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—Tenement of 4 rooms $7 per month. 107 High st., rear of 103.

TO LET—Store at 175 East Merrimack st., $9 per month. Key at 173 East Merrimack st.

TO LET—2 tenements, one 3 rooms and one 4 rooms, $5 a month each, rear 173 East Merrimack st.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping, gas and use of bath. Apply 6 Stackpole st.

TO LET—On the shore of Canobie Lake, N. H., a seven room cottage furnished, open fireplace, electric light and water in house, large veranda, boat and fine pine grove, five minutes to park. Address P. J. McEvoy, 624 Broadway, Lawrence, Mass.

TO LET—Fine furnished front rooms, suitable for married couple or two gentlemen, bath, gas and board if desired. Apply 26 Dutton st., front row.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms to ladies in private family, modern conveniences. 407 High st.

TO LET—Camp at Lakeview near the track. Inquire of Mrs. Pratt Lakeview Terrace.

TO LET—Suite of unfurnished rooms at 29 Bridge st.

TO LET—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 19 Dutton st.

TO LET—Large furnished front room in private family, all modern conveniences and telephone, 5 minutes walk from Merrimack square. Address F., Sun Office.

TO LET—2 newly finished stores, fitted for any kind of business, cor Church and Lawrence sts. Inquire at 795 Bridge st.

TO LET—Steam heated room with or without board, use of gas, bath and telephone. 86 Sherman st.

ROOMS TO LET at 52 Central st. Inquire of janitor or at Sun Office.

A NICE OFFICE to let on the second floor of the Harrington Building, 52 Central st. Rent low. Inquire at Sun Office.

TO LET—Three houses at So. End Salisbury beach, good water, etc. Rent cheap. Apply A. T. Clark, 72 Market st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—6-room down stairs tenement at 60 Tyler st. Apply to G. H. Walker, 216 Central st. or 55 Tyler st.

TO LET—Very desirable residence, No. 35 Myrtle st. consisting of ten room house and stable. Telephone 282-13.

TO LET—A store and boarding house at 150 Market st. Inquire 288 High st. mornings or at store afternoons.

TO LET—Two new modern flats on Rolfe st. opp. Normal school. Private entrances, verandas, steam heat, open plumbing, hard wood floors, gas and electric fixtures. Open for inspection daily between 3 and 5 p. m.

TO LET—A fine store, suitable for almost any kind of business. Would be a good chance for a woman to run a store and obtain a tenement in connection with same if desired. Inquire 62 Dummer st.

TO LET—On a farm in Andover, Mass., a nice colonial house, 12 rooms, furnished, piazza all around, stable, nice lawns, shade trees and shrubbery, situated high, very healthy, spring water sold right off the place, near electric and steam cars. For particulars apply to J. B. Withum, Marblehead, Mass.

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS for clean, pleasant tenements at moderate rents. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

OFFICE TO LET—A fine office on second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central st. Inquire at The Sun office.

ROOMS TO LET—In the Harrington building, 52 Central st. Inquire at The Sun office.

TO LET—Corner Windsor & Westford streets two six room flats all hard wood floors; steam heat, continuous hot water and gas range furnished. All modern conveniences. Apply James H. Walker, 48 Fletcher street. Tel. 911-2.

Bailey's Cold Cure

For chills and sudden colds, taken in season, prevents pneumonia.

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CELEBRATION IS ON

Continued

growth and stability when we survey the hisory of just such a typical New England town as Chelmsford.

The glory of a state is not in the number of bushels of wheat it raises, or tons of coal it mines, or miles of railroad track it lays, but in the type of character it produces, the standard of intelligence it upholds and the best personality it develops. It is only when a state or a community adapts its institutions to the development of true manhood in its citizens—it is only then that it begins to make enduring history, and that the world begins to read it and draw life from it.

New England has had her brilliant scholars, her great statesmen, her philosophers, artists, emancipators, soldiers, law-givers, and they have lent undying lustre to our nation. But the qualities that have made New England are the qualities of the common people. Her ideal citizen is not an exceptional genius, but a plain, straightforward, law-abiding, liberty-loving man, a man with healthy conscience and a cheerful determination to do his duty in every walk of life.

HENRY S. PERHAM,
Of the Committee.

The traits of the New England character that have proved the dynamic of national progress have been abundantly illustrated in the history of this town. Certainly the first was enterprise and pioneer pluck. It took an immense amount of grit to plant this community. There were no highways when our fathers came here and they built heir homes in such clearings as they could make along the water courses or among the woods. The sound of the axe rang bravely through the wood, and gradually the Indian trail was converted into a road, and the tangled vales and uplands slowly by dint of patient toil became pastures. The motto of the forefathers was "What ought to be done, can be done."

FOREFATHERS SELF RESTRAINED.

Our forefathers were a self-restrained people. They were not given to loud protestations or boasts of what they were going to perform. They rested on their accomplishments. They practised a sublime prudence. Their strength was controlled and equalized, not subject to sudden ecstasies, not followed by reactions. Theirs was a sobriety of nature that delivered them from irregular and interrupted impulses. Violence and excitement were to them only signs of weakness. Exaggeration was a sign of lack of real conviction. Theirs was the self-control that is the essence of heroism.

We should note too that the intelligence and stability and prosperity of New England are in no small degree the result of our form of local political organization. When President John Adams was asked to mention the principal cause of the decision to resist oppression in arms he answered: "The town organizations of New England. It was in these assemblies that the sentiments of the people were formed and their resolutions were taken." This testimony is confirmed by the judgment of all reflecting men. Every New England town has been a nursery of freedom, and the people's great school of citizenship. It has bred in men the power to do their own thinking, accustomed them to the exercise of civil rights and breathed into them the spirit to maintain and defend them. Town meeting was and is a little parliament, and a trained watchfulness over local interests was and is the best preparation for efficient service in the broader spheres of the commonwealth and country.

"I venture to believe that the Puritan still lives in New England. Still is New England the mother of men—men—little given indeed to the expression of their feelings, sometimes careless of the outward grace of life—but resourceful, self-reliant, public-spirited. When a vulgar materialism seems to overwhelm us, remember the homeliness and simplicity of our John A. Andrews or Hannibal Hamlin, and the thousands of New Englanders, who, following the example of the fathers, have of choice, sought plain living and high thinking. When cowardice holds our political life in its grip and bids so many of our public men speak only conventional and timid sophistries, then remember Charles Sumner, Geo. William Curtis and William E. Russell. When literature grows feeble, and the scandalous gossip of a great city seems to be all the intellectual stimulus the people can stand, then remember the pure fire of Whittier, the sparkle of Holmes, the insight of Emerson, the imperial uplift of Lowell. When religion seems to grow corrupt—one one hand a clamor of empty noise, on the other hand a formal routine—then remember the spiritual vision of Channing the manly intensity of Phillips Brooks.

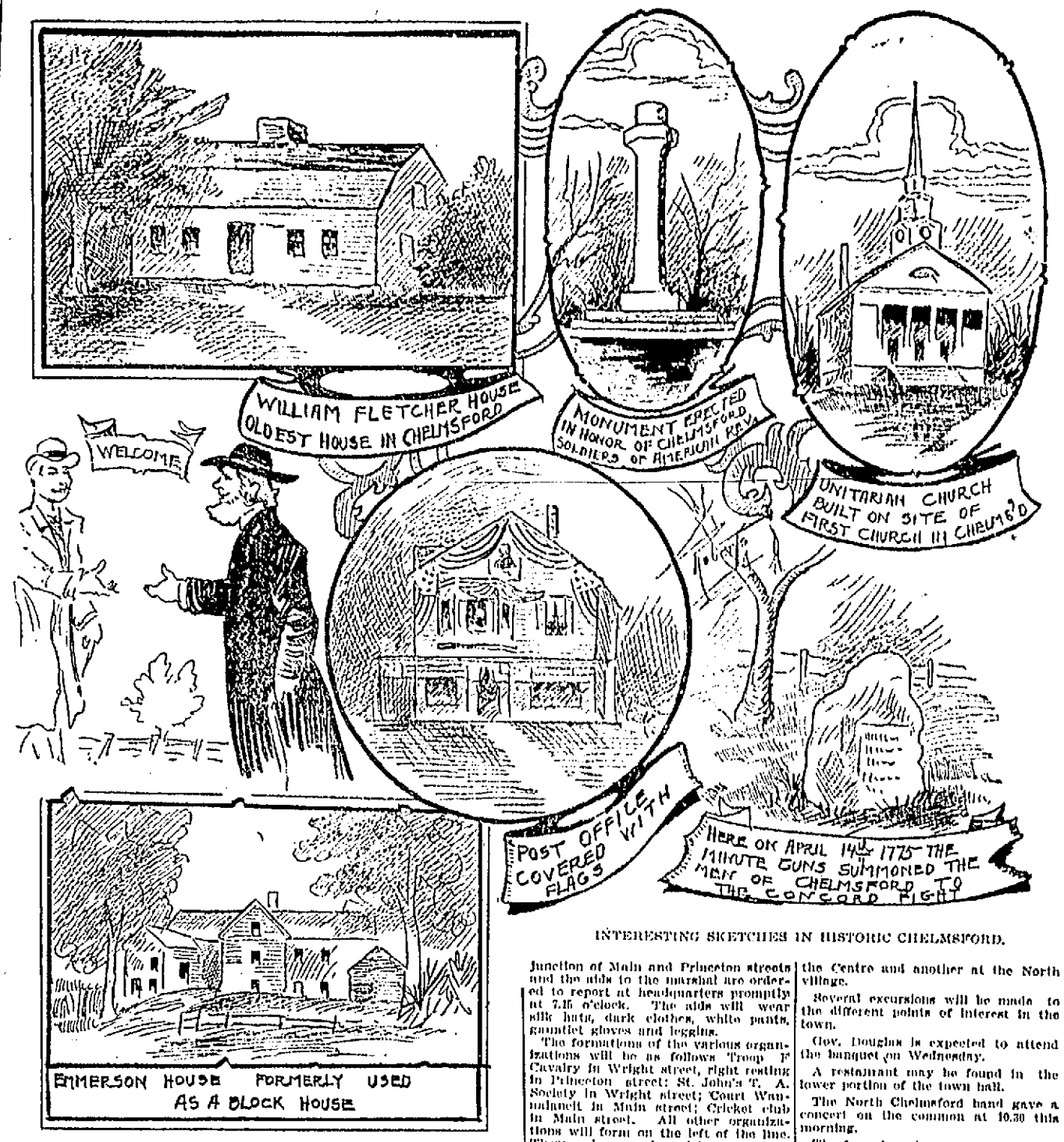
REBIRTH OF PURITAN SPIRIT.

Shall not a rebirth of the old Puritan spirit rouse our moral courage and restore our optimism? As the American manhood of past generations cleared the wilderness and planted here a free state, so it is the part of American manhood today not only to defend the state from ancient forms of tyranny without, but from the equally degrading forms of tyranny which may arise within, that we may be delivered not merely from oppressons exercised by king and church, but also from that modern form of oppression which confronts us—the tyranny of bewildered and misled majorities.

Through a pride in our country's past, through love of her scenery, through subtle and traditional feelings in the blood, through a thousand influences which come to us out of the past and are interwoven with all the fibres of our being, there grows before us the ideal of our country. It is no lifeless idol, but an invisible divinity we must honor and obey.

When each man among us, beyond his home affections, beyond his everyday concerns, feels the pressure of those invisible ideals, then is he a true New Englander—worthy child of the mother of a mighty race!

The closing hymn "America" was read by Rev. C. M. Merrill, pastor of the West Chelmsford Methodist church, Rev. A. D. K. Shurtleff of the First Congregational (Unitarian) society, pronounced the benediction.



INTERESTING SKETCHES IN HISTORIC CHELMSFORD.

CHELMSFORD VETS

ATTENDED SERVICES AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The G. A. R. veterans of Chelmsford attended Memorial service in the Episcopal church at the Centre, yesterday and listened to an eloquent address by Rev. Wilson Waters on "The Country Town as a Factor in the National Life." The interior of the building was beautifully decorated with bunting. Miss Roberta H. Greenleaf, presided at the organ and played Haling "Intermezzo" and "Largo in D Minor" by Baptiste. The choir sang "Venite" and "Gloria Patri" and other selections.

THE CHURCHES

ALL HAD SPECIAL SERVICES YESTERDAY.

At the Chelmsford Unitarian church, Rev. A. D. K. Shurtleff spoke on the theme: "The Place Whereon Thou Standest is Holy Ground." In the course of his remarks he said:

"Plymouth Rock is sacred because the Pilgrims landed there, and Chelmsford is sacred to us because the lives of the people are closely interwoven with the country.

"This church was the first built in Chelmsford, and it is sacred to us. Rev. John Fiske was the first pastor. He labored all his life among his neighbors, and now is buried over in the cemetery. He was followed by many others, who for nearly 250 years have been laboring as he did, for the improvement of the community, and the upbuilding of the gospel. Then there have been the laymen, sound men and women who have sacrificed, and not in vain. If I mentioned the names you would recognize them at once, because although the fathers are dead, the children live; such names as the Perhams, the Parkers, the Emersons, the Spauldings, and many others.

"As we age, let us remember that we are on holy ground. We should bring the children of the town up in the fear of God, so that in the future they shall know how holy the ground is. Today, Chelmsford is in gala dress, and we are honoring her with bunting, speeches and music. But after all, the greatest honor is the honor of the lives we are to live.'

"Citizenship in Heaven," was the subject of a sermon by Rev. C. M. Merrill, pastor of the West Chelmsford Methodist Episcopal church.

Rev. C. H. Ellis, at the Centre Baptist church, spoke on the appropriate subject: "Remove not the Ancient Landmarks."

Rev. D. H. Hudson at the Second Congregational church, North Chelmsford reviewed the early history of the town.

Rev. A. F. Earnshaw of the Central Congregational church spoke on Chelmsford's morality the heritage of the Puritans.

PARADE TONIGHT

GRAND AFFAIR AT THE NORTH VILLAGE.

North Chelmsford's contribution to the celebration program will be made tonight when a parade with speeches in the town hall, at its conclusion will take place.

The program of the parade is as follows:

Chief marshal and staff; North Chelmsford Brass band; Troop F, Cavalry, commanded by Sergt. W. H. Quigley; St. John's T. A. society, Stephen T. Ward, marshal; Court Wannalancit, Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, John Corrigan, marshal; North Chelmsford Cricket club, F. T. Duncan, marshal. The parade will form on the common at 7.30 o'clock and move at 7.45 sharp. The chief marshal's headquarters will be at the junction of Main and Princeton streets and the aids to the marshal are ordered to report at headquarters promptly at 7.15 o'clock. The aids will wear silk hats, dark clothes, white pants, gauntlet gloves and leggins.

The formations of the various organizations will be as follows Troop F Cavalry in Wright street, right resting in Princeton street; St. John's T. A. Society in Wright street; Court Wannalancit in Main street; Cricket club in Main street. All other organizations will form on the left of the line. These orders are issued by Charles F. Scribner, chief of staff.

The route of parade follows: Princeton street to Groton road to Newfield street to Clay street to Princeton street to junction of Centre street, countermarch to Branch street to Church street to Main street, to junction of Main and Princeton streets to the town hall where public exercises will be held.

The official staff: Chief marshal, William J. Quigley; chief of staff, Charles F. Scribner; bugler, David McNulty; aids, Frank A. Maloney, Capt. E. H. Keyes, P. L. Piggott, John Shaw, George C. Moore, Jr., Samuel Seymour, Joseph Carpenter, H. E. Howard, Michael Kinch, Robert W. Polly, Carl Ripley, John E. Harrington and H. F. Duncan.

CELEBRATION NOTES.

Don't forget North Chelmsford tonight.

Tomorrow will be "children's day," and a fine program is in store for them.

Two band concerts tonight, one at the Centre and another at the North village.

Several excursions will be made to the different points of interest in the town.

Gov. Douglas is expected to attend the banquet on Wednesday.

A restaurant may be found in the lower portion of the town hall.

The North Chelmsford band gave a concert on the common at 10.30 this morning.

The formal anniversary exercises are on this afternoon.

The bells rang out at sunrise and will be heard again at sunset.

The Memorial Day exercises tomorrow will be conducted by Commander Francis Hutchinson at 9.30 a. m.

The reception to home-comers will be held at the Centre town hall, this evening.

A grand "old time" concert will be given in the town hall tomorrow evening.

An historical exhibit was opened in the Unitarian church at 10 o'clock this morning.

Dr. S. L. Dutton addressed the school children on his war experience on Friday afternoon.

It is well worth the trip to Chelmsford to see the town in its gala attire.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HE DECLINES

SEN. BLACKBURN CANNOT DELIVER MEMORIAL DAY ORATION

NEW YORK, May 29.—United States Senator Joseph C. S. Blackburn of Kentucky has upset all the calculations of U. S. Grant Post 327, Grand Army of the Republic, which had made arrangements for the senator to deliver the oration at the Grant Tomb on Memorial Day. In a telegram he said that his declination was due to a pressure of political business, that he was a candidate for nomination as United States senator and that it was necessary for him to remain on the ground and look after his fences. In the course of a letter which he sent to Post Commander Harry W. Knight of U. S. Grant Post, the senator writes:

"I cannot but recognize the force of the suggestion that the action of the Confederate Camp of New York in deciding not to join in the parade, although purposing to be present at the ceremonies at the tomb, which action was brought about by reason of the objection made by other posts than your own, tends to make the situation too delicate and doubtful to justify me in filling the engagement, and might, perhaps, subject me to criticism here at the hands of our organization because I did not conform or accord sufficient consideration to the course adopted by the Confederate Camp of your city.

But if, for the reasons above stated, that camp deemed it improper to appear in the parade, as contemplated by the generosity of Grant Post, it was not perfectly clear that my appearance there would escape criticism if not censure."

PLEASANT OUTING.

The Highland Reading club spent a pleasant afternoon on Saturday, in the woods near Chelmsford Centre, a picnic with all the attendant features being the program. In the evening the members were entertained in a very agreeable manner by Miss Edith Harrison at her home in School street. Miss Harrison leaves for Nebraska on Wednesday, to spend the summer, and as she is a popular member of the club, the affair was in the nature of a farewell to her.

A NEW WOOD

For the Lowell Market

It is kiln-dried pine blocks about 3 inches thick and from 3 to 6 inches long. Makes a nice, clean, healthy fuel for light cooking or kindling coal fires. Try it and see for yourself. Sixteen bushels for one dollar. Mail and telephone orders will receive immediate attention.

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Whatever you may need in Kitchen Furnishings, Screen Doors, Window Screens, Oil or Gas Stoves, today is your day to buy. You'll be surprised and pleased at the values we will offer you today—we ought to crowd our store when we offer values like the following:—

Screen Doors

89c qualities, today at....69c Each
98c qualities, today at....89c Each
$1.25 qualities, today at....98c Each

Window Screens

25c qualities, today at....19c Each
35c qualities, today at....25c Each
49c qualities, today at....35c Each

Oil Stoves

Two Burner Style, today at....$1.25
One Burner Style, today at.... 69c
Oil Stove Tea Kettles, today at.... 19c

Gas Stoves

One Burner Style, today at.... 69c
Two Burner Style, today at.... 98c
Three Burner Style, today at....$1.75
Oil or Gas Stove Ovens, today at.... 69c

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1 qt. size, regular 15c value, today at.... 10c
2 qt. size, regular 25c value, today at.... 19c
3 qt. size, regular 35c value, today at.... 25c
4 qt. size, regular 49c value, today at.... 35c

The above lots are offered for a one-day sale just before Memorial Day.

100 Rolls of NEW FLOOR MATTINGS

At Special Low Prices For Today's Sale

We recently added this class of merchandise to our upholstery stock and for our introductory sale today we will offer the entire stock as follows:

Cotton Warp Matting in all-over designs, greens or blues, also plain white with inserted figures, 30c value, today at....19c per Yard

Best White China Matting, same as retailed throughout the country from 40c to 45c per yard, today at....33c per Yard

Best grades of Rice Matting, in very pretty designs, regular 50c quality, today at....35c per Yard

A $2000 Stock of FINE RUGS

At Reduced Prices for Today

9x12 Best Wilton Rugs, $37 quality, today at..$31.00
9x12 Brussel Rugs, $23 quality, today at....$18.00
9x12 Best Smyrna Rugs, $21 quality, today at..$17.00
36x72 Best Axminster Rugs, $5 quality, today at $3.75
30x61 Best Smyrna Rugs, $1.75 quality, today at $1.29

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The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1904 was

14,539

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1905. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

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THE SUN'S PLATFORM

FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

1. ADOPT a new charter giving the mayor full power to appoint and remove at will, the heads of all city departments and members of all boards or commissions.

2. ABOLISH the common council and provide for a single legislative board of 27 aldermen, three from each ward.

3. CREATE public boards to have charge of streets, buildings, police, fire, pauper and water departments.

4. ANNEX portions of Dracut and Tewksbury, including the "Navy Yard" and the Andover road as far as the Hood farm.

5. ABOLISH the Merrimack street station and the grade crossings at Market, Thorndike and Middlesex streets and extend the northern station to Thorndike street.

6. BUILD a public hall and market on the White lot in Merrimack Square.

The men who went around circulating charges against Governor Douglas—some of them the beneficiaries of his official recognition—may now be sorry they spoke. The retirement of Douglas is not likely to prolong their retention in office.

WHO SPEAKS FOR THE ADMINISTRATION?

Where President Roosevelt favors fixing railroad rates and Secretary Morton says the railroads are all right; where Secretary Shaw of the treasury stands pat and Secretary Taft adopts the policy of buying canal materials in the cheapest market, it is difficult to say who or which represents the administration.

THE GUARD RAIL ON SINGLE TRACK LINES.

On single tracks there is little excuse for the side guard rail on electric cars. The rail in such cases is kept in use in order to guard against accidents due to people getting off or on the car when the conductor is not looking. It is easier to watch one side of the car than to watch both; but while the rail may have some slight preventive value, it is a great inconvenience to passengers as the end hog refuses to move over and the last who gets in must squeeze to the further end of the seat, and so it is if the person at the further end wants to get off. All the other passengers on the seat must be annoyed. There is also delay in getting in or out under such conditions. This delay and this inconvenience can be overcome by the removal of the side guard rail on single tracks where it is scarcely needed as a safeguard against accident.

THE DEFEAT OF RUSSIA.

The defeat of the Russian fleet, assuming that it is as severe as announced in the early despatches marks the beginning of the end of the war. The power that controls the sea in the war zone is the power that can win the battle on land. Russia's last hope hung upon the chances of a naval victory that might give her control of the sea and cripple the Japanese navy but with that gone, Russia may as well abandon the struggle. It will bring but fresh disaster to continue it longer. With the Baltic fleet smashed Japan can take Vladivostok and capture or annihilate the Russian army in Manchuria. In the interests of humanity the war should now be brought to a close.

GOOD GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.

The Good Government association of Boston issues a monthly pamphlet on city affairs and keeps to the front all the important issues that demand public attention. "City Affairs" in Boston is doing what the newspapers are doing in this city in a more extensive way.

At the present time what should engage public attention is the bringing to our city new industries; the welfare of the industries we have; the reduction of the tax-rate; the improvement of the real estate business; the adoption of an economic policy that will stop the ruinous practice of borrowing; the amendment of the city charter so as to centre responsibility and thus enable the people to hold somebody accountable for anything that goes wrong in any of the departments. With these reforms and the others included in The Sun's platform for the good of Lowell carried out, Lowell would boom as never before but reforms come very slowly unless there is unanimity of sentiment.

When half the people favor one scheme and most of the other half oppose it, progress will naturally be slow.

The public mind must be educated to the need of these changes; the inertia of the popular mind must be overcome before anything can be accomplished. The inertia is that inherent force that holds on to old conditions, that opposes change and clings to the old feeling that it is better to bear the ills we have than fly to those we know not off.

The Good Government association of Boston favors non-partisanship in politics; favors the selection of the best men regardless of party. Where partisanship works injury rather than benefit it should be rejected, but occasionally partisanship does a great deal of good in keeping one party to watch another.

In Philadelphia, for example, we see the republican party which claims to be the party of pure politics and clean government prostituted to the lowest depths for want of a healthy democratic opposition. The democrats of Philadelphia are a dead lot. Were it otherwise they would not allow such corruption to be practised by the party in power even if they were in the minority.

Therefore we say that if municipal government is bad, it does not follow that political partisanship is responsible. There are cases in which partisanship is responsible for abuses and other cases in which non-partisanship is responsible. What we must oppose is not partisanship or non-partisanship but abuses, extravagance, grafting and all the arts by which our city is robbed whether it be by uncollected taxes, by dishonest deals, by connivance at fraud and by the employment of drones who think the city owes them a living.

SEEN AND HEARD

The patron laid down a five dollar bill and picked up three cigars.

"How much?" asked the dealer.

"Four seventy-five," was the answer and a quarter change was laid down.

After the customer had gone the dealer explained that for more than five years he had not kept an account with his patron, since the patron kept the score in his head accurately. At the end of each week the customer would tell the amount of the account and settle up.

The nervous man had just met his friend who for some months past had been in retirement for his health.

"I have sometimes thought 't might be a good thing for a man to go away for a while," he said, "and to get cured perhaps of habits that were gaining too strong a hold on him. I changed my opinion on the second part of that proposition, however, after I had an evening with a friend of mine who had just come back from a course of treatment.

"We were together in a cafe for an hour or more. During all that time he would, of course, not take a drink. Such a thing never occurred to him. But he would take some coffee. I think I had two Scotch highballs while we talked. I know he had seven pots of black coffee. There didn't seem to be much doubt that he had gotten over one habit. He had acquired another, however, that made it seem a standoff whether he had gained by the change."

"Have the boys of today changed their natures?" asked an elderly person as he stood watching a group of youngsters pitching pennies and playing craps on a street corner.

"When I was a lad we used to play all sorts of games while the spirit of gambling which now seems to take hold of the youth was unknown. There were prisoner's base, black tom, tag, hide and seek and duck on the rock for the younger lads, while the older ones played par, or leapfrog or held competitive games. Marbles, tops, kites, each had its season.

"Of course, I know that the city is more built up now and then, but I lived in the lower part of the city and was handicapped even more than are our boys today, for we had no asphalt pavements.

"Another thing which seems lost to the boys of today is the joy of the smoking bean. This is a long seed pod, which grows on big trees about the city. When the pods dry out they are very smokable—at least we used to think so when I was a boy."

A peculiar argument is advanced by an eminent railroad official against President Roosevelt's determination to travel by regular scheduled trains, and to pay his own way. The railroads prefer to give him a special train and to carry him without charge. Not as a compliment to him personally; not as a tribute to his high office, and not as a favor given in hope of favors to be returned, but simply as a matter of business. The train which carries the president cannot possibly be run on regular scheduled time. The people gather at every station on the line, and wait patiently for the train to arrive that they may see the president and hear from him a few words, if nothing more, of friendly greeting. They cannot be denied, and to detain a regular train for their satisfaction would blockade the entire schedule from end to end. It is less costly for the railroads to put on a special train for the president ,which can be run to suit the requirements of his journey.

GAS LEASE FIGHT

Subject of Sermons by Many Ministers

PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—The gas lease fight of last week which resulted in the advocates of the proposition bowing to popular will by withdrawing the proposed lease from city councils, served as the text for many sermons in the Philadelphia churches yesterday. There were a few houses of worship where the sensational incidents of last week were not touched upon. The greater part of Mayor Weaver's day was taken up with religious duties. He attended divine services at Temple Baptist church in the forenoon and in the afternoon he taught his bible class at that church as usual.

During the exercises, informally opening the Sunday school session, the superintendent referred to the mayor and the part he took in the gas lease fight. Mr. Weaver was called upon to speak a few words.

That the fight of the mayor and the reform organizations against the republican organization will not stop with the abandonment of the gas lease proposition, appears to be a foregone conclusion. It is understood that the opponents of the organization will not demand that the city councils confirm the nominations of Col. Sheldon Potter and S. A. Lincoln Acker, the mayor's new directors.

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BOILER OR FURNACE

rust up this summer. Have it cleaned and put in good repair.

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STEAMER ON FIRE

The Hamilton Returned to Port

NORFOLK, Va., May 29.—With fire raging in her forward hold and her crew exhausted from two hours and a half hard work, fighting the flames, the Old Dominion steamship Hamilton after leaving port for New York, returned to Norfolk at 3.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. There were no passengers aboard.

When the crew responded to the alarm it was found that it would be impossible to reach the fire without shifting the cargo. As much of this was done as was possible but Captain Bouz decided that it would not be safe for him to try to reach New York and it was impossible for him to put out the fire at sea, so he returned to Norfolk.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Sleep, Soldier, sleep! The clear notes of the bugle
Call thee no more to the heat of the fray.
Bright on thy resting place—grave of the hero—
Bloom the fair wreaths of Memorial Day.
Under the sod which thy life-blood has hallowed—
Under the flag you so long fought to save—
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! God watches thy slumber—
A nation pays homage today to the brave.

Soldier in Blue who gave life for the Union:
Soldier of Southland who fought in the Gray—
God has decided the right of your struggles—
Under one flag you are sleeping today.
Garlands of laurel and garlands of willow
Strew we today on the graves of our dead—

Sleep, Soldier, sleep! For thy warfare is over—
Rest thee in peace in thy flower-strewn bed.
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! O'er thy grave in the jungle
Love stands on guard through the long hours of night;
Honor stands guard through the heat of the noonday—
You who have died for your God and the right.
Millions will kneel in deep prayer for the hero
Giving his life for humanity's sake.
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! Thou hast died for thy brother—
Sleep till God's reveille bids thee awake.

Sleep, Soldier, sleep! The bright flag of the Union
Still proudly floats o'er the land and the sea;
Beacon of hope to the world's toiling peoples;
Banner of truth and the Flag of the Free.
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! The flowers of springtime
Lay we today on thy low, narrow bed.
Sleep, Soldier, sleep! For the hands of the living
Garland today all the nation's brave dead.

WILL M. MAUPIN.

WHITE WON.

BOSTON, May 27—Alverz L. White won the individual golf championship of Harvard university today, defeating W. F. Harrison 3 up in the second 18 holes of the final match, played at the Oakley country club. Yesterday afternoon White took the first half of the match by 1 up.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

TWO LIVES LOST

Drowning Accidents in Spy Pond

ARLINGTON, Mass., May 29.—Two drowning accidents occurred in different parts of Spy pond about the same time yesterday afternoon, the victims being:

DANIEL BANNISTER, 21 years old, of Somerville.

ALLEN PATTERSON, 17, of North Cambridge.

Bannister was in a boat not far from the shore about 4 o'clock, when the boat by some means was capsized. His body was recovered about 6 o'clock.

While the police were dragging for Bannister's body, they were notified that Patterson, who was alone in a canoe, had fallen into the pond and drowned. His body was taken from the water two hours later. Both were unmarried.

COTTON INDUSTRIES CONTRASTED.

A great rebound was naturally to be anticipated from the violent depression caused by the manipulations of the American cotton speculators and the fears of a short crop. A rise in the price of an article of universal consumption such as cotton tends to bring more land under cotton cultivation, and thus to augment future crops, so that, as in the case of sugar, scarcity will not as a rule last for long. That is, of course, leaving out of account such possibilities as to the organization of the planters to restrict the quantity produced, which have in the case of the United States to be taken into serious account. The fact that the estimate of the present crop greatly exceeds all calculations, and is nearer 13,000,000 bales than the 11,000,000 at which it was at one time placed, has naturally led to a heavy fall in the price. With the fall in price has come a great rush of orders to fill the depleted warehouses of the merchants, and as Lancashire has the skilled labor, machinery, and organization, her manufacturers have secured the lion's share of the trade. Her profits have been suddenly increased, compensating her for heavy losses during the period when cotton was daily rising in price.

A further influence which has operated in favor of the British manufacturer has been the strike at the great Fall River mills in the United States, which disabled temporarily one of the country's most formidable competitors. It is also possible that in the far east the Japanese industry has been to some extent disorganized by the concentration of the nation's attention upon the war, thus leaving the China market open to British trade. In India the recovery from the famine has given the people more to spend, and they appear to be spending it in buying English cottons. Yet it should never be forgotten by Lancashire that the open market in India exists simply and solely by reason of the British rule of that country, for were the peoples of India left to their own free choice they would, without any doubt, impose a tariff, and a tariff without the countervailing excise which now exists, and which is in the highest degree unpopular with our fellow subjects. Even in China there might today have been no open market but for the prowess of Japan and the support which her long series of victories has given to British policy.

Upon the horizon is still a cloud—a small cloud, it is true, but one which may be the cause of trouble if precautions against its bursting are not taken in time. This is the steady growth of the consumption of cotton in the United States. From a yearly average of 856,000,000 pounds in 1881-1885, the demand of the American manufacturer rose to 1,884,000 pounds in 1901-02, while the American crop has not expanded in proportion. If the cotton planters can be induced to restrict their output, or if this demand at home for their product continues to increase, there may be difficulties for Lancashire hereafter. The best course would be by all possible means to augment the area under the cotton plant within the British empire.—London Daily Mail, March 11.

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DAILY SAYINGS.

To know one profession only, is enough for one man to know. —Goldsmith.

Store Closes at Noon Memorial Day.

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166 Central Street

BLUE SERGE

The Ideal Summer Suit

OUR large purchase of blue serges, last fall, has placed us in a splendid position. While blue serges have advanced in price from twenty-five to forty per cent., we are able through our early contracts to sell blue serge suits of the identical qualities we sold last season for exactly last season's prices.

These serges are all cut on this season's patterns, coats both double and single breast—a little longer, with broader collars and lapels—trousers medium or full peg-top. Every coat is made with an unbreakable front, and even the lowest priced suit has hand padded collar.

These blue serge suits, in men's and young men's sizes, we believe are from $2.00 to $3.00 better values than any other serge suits offered in Lowell.

Double and single breast—blue serge suits—men's and young men's.

$10, $15, $20

WHEN I SHALL KNOW MY OWN.

(By C. A. Littlefield.)

Doubtful and troubled I wander on the barren shore alone.
My soul in vain is calling for its mate my mind hath known.
Under the star gemmed heavens I gaze on the moon-lit sea.
"Perhaps" from over the rolling waste, my own wil come to me.
I searched the forest's dim retreat, where never shines the sun.
I have sought it in the busy streets, where wealth is lost and won.
I have lingered in vain mid the shadows beneath each giant tree,
In fruitless quest for that dreamland face, my own comes not to me.

I have sailed the ocean's wide expanse, where keel hath ever been.
Searched isles that blossomed as the rose whose leaves are ever green.
My doubting heart has faltered oft upon this endless race.
'Tis "vain" I cannot find my own that they may know my face.

Perhaps far off in solar space on some star that's there at rest.
I may abate my longing, finding balm for my troubled breast.
Where the waters of life make music on shores of pearl-like stone.
There soul to soul we may meet at last, and I shall know my own.

Eugene, the eldest son of Charles E. McCarthy of the Lowell Packing and Provision Co. graduated this week from Burdett College of Boston with high honor, having attained an average rank of 99 1-3 per cent. Eugene has many friends who wish him success in his future career.

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Remember the place,

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PERFECT THROUGH SUFFERING.

God never would send you the darkness,
If He felt you could bear the light;
But you would not cling to His guiding hand,
If the way were always bright;
And you would not care to walk by faith,
Could you always walk by sight.

'Tis true He has many an anguish
For your sorrowful heart to bear,
And many a cruel thorn-crown
For your tired head to wear;
He knows how few would reach heaven at all
If pain did not guide them there.

So He sends you the blinding darkness,
And the furnace of seven-fold heat;
'Tis the only way, believe me,
To keep you close to His feet,
For 'tis always so easy to wander
When our lives are glad and sweet.

Then nestle your hand in your Father's
And sing if you can, as you go;
Your song may cheer some one behind you
Whose courage is sinking low;
And, well, if your lips do quiver—
God will love you better so.

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63 Market Street

ROLL OF THE DEAD

Read by the Local G. A. R. Posts Yesterday

ROYAL S. RIPLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE DAY.

Memorial Exercises at First Congregational Church -- Rev. E. Victor Bigelow the Orator of the Day--Large Turnout of the G. A. R. Veterans

The annual Grand Army memorial service by the three G. A. R. posts of Lowell was held in the First Congregational church, Sunday afternoon. The death roll showed that 25 members of the little band of survivors, whose ranks are being thinned by response to the last roll call, had gone hence since the last preceding Memorial day and the orators of the day spoke sympathetically yet in glowing terms of the men who had crossed the river. They told of the glorious patriotism of the men whose minds and muscles answered to the bugle blast, and who by their many sacrifices assisted in bridging over the chasm that yawned between the north and the south.

ROLL OF THE DEAD.

The names of the veterans who died during the year are as follows:

POST 42.

Maurice Roark, private Co. D, 39 Mass. Infantry, died Oct. 2, 1904, age 83.

Leander Shaw, private, Co. D, 30 Maine Infantry, died Oct. 16, 1904, age 67.

John W. Tilton, private, 15 Mass. battery, died Oct. 19, 1904, age 61.

James McDermott, private, Co. H, 33 Mass. Infantry, died Nov. 22, 1904, age 76.

P. C. Michael H. McCue, seaman U. S. navy, died Dec. 7, 1904, age 56.

John Shortall, private, Co. H, 6th Mass. Infantry, died Jan. 22, 1905, age 75.

Daniel Lyons, private, Co. H, 39 Mass. Infantry, died Oct. 8, 1904, age 70.

Philip A. Smith, saddler, troop G, 32, Mass. Cavalry, died Feb. 6, 1905, age 83.

Owen H. Savage, private, Co. G, 6th Mass. Infantry, died May 10, 1905, age 71.

POST 120.

Wm. H. Green, private, Co. A, 44th regiment Mass. volunteers, died Nov. 26, 1904, age 76 years.

Charles P. Cutter, private, Co. I, 60th regiment N. Y. volunteers, died Feb. 27, 1905, age 62 years.

POST 185.

Orrington A. Wilkins, private, Co. G., 14th Maine, died June 20, 1904.

Clarendon Goodwin, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died June 23, 1904.

George T. Woodward, Sergt. Co. B, 13th N. H., Capt. Co. E 30 U. S. Colorado Infantry, died July 2, 1904.

Edward A. Robinson, third assistant engineer U. S. N., died July 16, 1904.

Riley Davis, private, Co. B, 17th Mass., died July 17, 1904.

Daniel C. Wheeler, Corp. Co. D, 53rd Mass., died Aug. 1, 1904.

William A. Kneeland, private, Co. H, 7th Vt., died Sept. 28, 1904.

James Collin, private, Co. K, 5th Mass., died Dec. 25, 1904.

Charles D. Washburn, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died Feb. 11, 1905.

Fred A. Baron, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died April 17, 1905.

Benj. F. Sargent, musician, Ohio light artillery, died April 19, 1905.

Charles C. Foot, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died May 2, 1905.

William Howle, private, Co. G, 6th Mass., died May 9, 1905.

James Leach, private, Co. H, 45th Mass., died May 12, 1905.

Colonel Royal S. Ripley was chairman of the day and the orator was Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. The musical program was elaborate and inspiring. The opening and closing numbers of the program were sung by the full choir of the First Baptist church, the American orchestra, E. J. Boyles, leader, accompanying. "Onward, Christian Soldiers," was sung in the opening, and in closing "America" was sung. There were selections by a male quartet consisting of Messrs. Frank S. Cass, Harry A. Hopkins, Fred C. M. Silk and Joseph Faulcon. Mrs. W. H. Pepin sang a solo, accompanied by the full orchestra. Ministers assisting in the exercises were Rev. E. P. Herrick of the Worthen Street M. E. church, Rev. R. E. Beard, D. D. of Cambridge, and Rev. C. E. Fisher of the First Universalist church.

The adjutants of the three posts read the roll of the dead. The veterans occupied seats in the centre and to the left of the platform, and members of the women's organizations affiliated with the posts had seats in the rear of the platform.

MAYOR CASEY.

After the opening exercises, including the reading of the roll of the dead, Mayor Casey was introduced and spoke in part as follows:

Beneath the folds of the starry flag we love so well, the flag which symbolizes liberty and justice, the flag for which you fought and bled, the flag whose stars guided heavenward the eyes of your dying comrades—under that flag we assemble to honor the memory and pay tribute to the gallant men who laid down their lives to defend the indissoluble unity of the states, and keep under one flag the country whose liberty was won by the heroism and self-sacrifice of the early patriots whose achievements brighten the pages of American history.

Each recurring observance of Memorial day brings with it fewer veterans, and more graves to decorate. Many are absent who were with you a year ago, and some of you who will decorate the graves of the dead may be numbered among the departed ones next year. Death must claim us all; there is no escape. You may conquer armies, you may subdue nations, but you can never master Death, the conqueror of all things earthly. You fought well and nobly; if you have lived as well you need have no fear of death.

Memorial Day teaches one grand lesson—the lesson of patriotism. An entire nation, a reunited country, shows its appreciation of the invaluable service rendered by the Grand Army of the Republic. No truer test of love of country can be found than in one's willingness to give up his life for his country.

That the nation does not forget its noble defenders was strikingly shown only a few weeks ago when the greatest city of the land took charge of the body of the last survivor of the war of 1812, paid every mark of respect to his memory, and after one of the grandest military funerals ever seen tenderly placed his ashes at rest. Not only the city, but the state and nation honored him in death. God grant that it will be many, many years before this nation will be called upon to show its appreciation of the services of the last survivor of the Civil war.

Members of the Grand Army, for most of you fighting days are over; but younger and more active men, inspired by your example, are ready to uphold the honor of the country. That love of country you manifested in war is with you still, and on all questions affecting the interests of the United States we can depend upon the old soldier to act with an exalted patriotism, his sole aim being the best interests of his beloved country.

When Mayor Casey had finished, and before introducing Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, the orator of the day, Col. Ripley reviewed, briefly, the work of the G. A. R. posts in Lowell. Benjamin F. Butler Post, 42, was instituted in 1868, with 100 members. It gathered some 600 more, making a total of about 678 members. It has lost, by death and other means, more than 563 of the old comrades, leaving at the present time, only 115 active members.

James A. Garfield Post, 120, was instituted in 1881, with 105 members. It gained 315, making a total of 420. They have at present only 110 active members.

Ladd and Whitney Post, 185, was chartered in 1886, with 200 members. It has had a total number upon its roster of 315. It has lost by death 135, and has a present membership of 180. The total membership of the three posts is now only 405 men, and many of these are so old and feeble that they cannot possibly attend the Memorial Day exercises.

The money received by the three posts and paid out in benefits is far in excess of $100,000. Post 42 has the honor of raising and expending the greatest amount, more than $60,000. Post 120 now has nearly $3000 on hand, Post 185 has $1500, and Post 42 has practically none, having expended all that it had.

REV. E. VICTOR BIGELOW.

Rev. E. Victor Bigelow spoke in part as follows:

"Fifty years ago, violent hands were laid upon our nation to tear it apart. But this nation is not common cotton cloth. It is a living fabric that has in it nerves and veins and arteries, which will bleed and which will perish if torn asunder. You know, and all knew in those days, that had their eyes open, that we must have, as the immortal Webster declared, the union now and forever, one and inseparable.

"Your rising was not sudden. It was not quick and flashy and fickle. It came slow, but it came sure. It came through successive generations, and it culminated when it was wanted. And when we heard the news that Fort Sumter had been stormed, then it was that you rose like a tidal wave, higher and higher, until there was nothing that was able to stand before you, and you swept forever off the face of the earth, the insurrection that arose in the south of our nation. Lowell's honor is everlasting, in that some of her loyal sons were first to go. The names of Luther C. Ladd and Addison O. Whitney were the pride of Lowell. They were no better than you, but it was their fortune to be named in this tragic moment.

"The private soldier was the effective force of our army. There are people who speak about the war as though no one but the generals did anything. It was what the generals failed to do, that caused our most humiliating and conspicuous failures. It was not, however, that our generals were weak, but that Lee was so mightily strong. It kept Lincoln hunting, day after day, for somebody that could match him; and every man in turn proved himself inadequate, until finally Grant came to match him."

The exercises closed with benediction by Rev. R. E. Beard and the postlude by the orchestra.

CHELMSFORD STREET BAPTIST.

Mr. Gardner Wills occupied the pulpit yesterday morning, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. E. Kenyon. In honor of Memorial Sunday the church was prettily decorated with flags, and Mr. Wills in a brief introduction referred to the significance of the day. His subject was "Power," the text being: "But ye shall receive power after that the Holy Ghost shall have come upon you," Acts 1:8. Mr. Wills spoke in part as follows: Nothing in this world goes by itself, it is governed by human ingenuity; there is the power of steam or electricity back of the machinery, and so back of all human machinery and effort is the unseen power of God, which we will never fully realize until we come before Him in heaven; But there are conditions to be complied with if we would reach there; have we obeyed His commands? Some Christians try to get to heaven by the easiest way, putting no effort into the attempt, but to be successful one must put his life's best effort into the determination to serve God; for we can't get any true knowledge of religion until we get in our own hearts. Jesus comes to His disciples now, but they do not recognize it because they are not in prayer nor watching for Him. When Christ is within we have new desires and new purposes. Love covers all the commandments, first love to God, and then to our fellow men.

At the close of the sermon, Mr. Wills read a letter from Mrs. A. L. Russell and family, thanking the church and Sunday school for the floral tributes sent to Mr. Russell's funeral. The speaker eulogized the late Mr. Russell, in very eloquent words, as one who had done much for the extension of God's kingdom, and speaking particularly of his work for this church. The congregation and choir united in singing "Face to Face," in memory of the deceased. Supt. Thorne in the Sunday school also spoke feelingly of the interest taken in the school by Mr. Russell.

The music was by the full chorus choir in the morning, and a cantata, entitled "The World for Christ" was given in the evening, under the direction of Mrs. Dodge and Mrs. Russell Wills.

G. A. R. MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

Over 40 members of Post 185, G. A. R., and members of Circle 8, Ladies of G. A. R., attended the Memorial day services at the Worthen Street M. E. church Sunday morning. Rev. E. P. Herrick preached a sermon that was historical and patriotic. He found his inspiration in the book of Exodus, chapter 14, "The day shall be for you a Memorial."

REV. E. VICTOR BIGELOW, ORATOR OF THE DAY.

ST. PAUL'S M. E.

General Adelbert Ames command, U. S. W. V., and the Edith Prescott Wolcott Ladies' Auxiliary, attended the services at St. Paul's M. E. church Sunday morning. The Spanish war veterans marched to the church, in a body, from Memorial hall. Rev. George B. Dean preached.

THE ELIOT CHURCH.

Patriotic services were held at the Eliot church Sunday morning. The services were attended by the Union Veterans' union, Wauhatchie Command, No. 10, and daughters of veterans, Mary E. Smith Tent, No. 33, and the Sons of Veterans, Admiral Farragut camp No. 78, accompanied by their Ladies' Auxiliary No. 37.

PAWTUCKET CHURCH.

A well attended memorial service was held at the Pawtucket church last night. Rev. E. R. Smith spoke on the subject, "The Boys of '61."

A chorus choir and a quartet furnished the vocal music.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST.

Rev. Robert F. True spoke to two large congregations yesterday at the Immanuel Baptist church and special memorial sermons and special music appropriate to the day were given. In the morning the pastor's topic was "Some Lessons from the Lives of Dead Heroes," and in the evening the subject, "The Whole Armor of God."

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Kazanglian, who is charged with the same offense as Mavarian, it being alleged that he was an accessory, was out on bail and his case was also continued, the bail being placed at $2000.

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Kate Clyde

Rebukes the Woman Who Is "Gusby" and Oversentimental---The Poor Taste of Exaggeration. The Woman Who Makes a "Sissy" of Her Son---Timely Hints on the Fashions of Summer

WHO has not wished there was some institution for pruning the speech of overfervid young women?

"Have you seen Hackett's new play? Isn't he a dear? I think that part where he escapes from his enemies and kills three men is simply delicious! Don't you just love the theater? I'm simply wild about it. I think I'd die if anything happened to prevent my going next Saturday." And so forth and so on, crescendo.

"Don't you just love the theater!"

The worst I ever heard was in a restaurant last winter. Two girls were eating some indigestible thing with paper frills around it when a third girl joined them.

"Isn't it a cold day?" remarked one of the dumbsets who was sitting at the table as she yawned.

The newcomer fairly beamed. "Yes, isn't it a darling?" she gurgled as she rubbed her cold hands together.

And a man at a nearby table almost had a fit.

It is noticeable, too, that the women who exaggerate in speech exaggerate also in dress. Their hats poke forward most, their pompadours are the largest or, when pompadours are out of style, their buns contain more switches than other women's. Their neck ruches are stiffer, higher and more full of ruffles, and even their collars are more "choky." If there is a new fad or style they simply rush it to death. In fact, whether silent or talking, they are irrepressible.

As to Sentimentality.

The strongest argument in favor of co-education to my mind is contained in some of the college girls' stories which have been published recently. I never read anything quite so foolish. Are girls really such silly compounds of false ideas about life, midnight fudge and sickly sentimentality?

Men may be brutal when left to themselves, but girls confined to their own society certainly become "mushy."

Sentimentality! Heaven preserve us from it! It's one variety of this sickly sentimental "idealizing" woman who nearly has a fit when her boy fights another boy even if the latter has been bullying the life out of him. What knowledge he gets of the manly art of self defense I can assure you he gets on the sly away from home, for his mother believes in "moral suasion," "the power of kindness" and in his being "a little gentleman" which, I am sorry to say, means in nine cases out of ten where a small boy is concerned being a "sissy."

It is this sort of female that prompted the remark of a mere man the other day, "I wonder why some women seem to think it the mark of true womanliness to be narrow minded and cowardly?"

Rather strong language, but he had just been visiting a household where the sweet womanly nature of the mother was making both a sneak and a coward of her hopeful son and heir, who unfortunately for himself had no father to counteract the unpractical atmosphere in which he was brought up.

Thank goodness, the Lord Fauntleroy fad is over, but if it should come into fashion again I am sure there would be enough foolish mothers left to trick their sons in curls and sashes and make their lives a misery on account of the ridicule of their playmates.

What women need even in this practical age is more even nerves, a broader way of looking at things and less sentimentality.

Colors That Shout.

Some of the new colors are—well, loud is not over a strong enough word. The greens and reds are particularly explosive. They have a trick, too, of changing by gaslight so that a shade of

"Isn't it a darling?"

red, for instance, that was perfectly well behaved in the daytime assumes bricky hues when illumined by gas or electric light, making you grind your teeth whenever you look at it. Certainly danger lurks in the red tailor made, for all that it is so fashionable. If you get too dark a shade you look too hot for summer; if you get too light a shade the effect is bricky. The best tint is that which goes with American Beauty roses.

Openwork voile over checked lining is among the smart fads of the season. It is made up in fancy suits with little short coats trimmed with straps of the checked silk and short, puffed sleeves ending in a band of the same silk. A wide checked silk girdle is often worn also, and this is decorated with tiny red buttons to go with the suit.

If you are going traveling this summer you must by all means have one of those smart silk waterproof coats. Gray is the prettiest color, as it catches the light beautifully.

A Beautiful Fabric.

There is a new material for evening gowns. It is somewhat on the order of panne velvet, except that it is coated with some nonmetallic substance which makes it glisten. It is perfectly beautiful in white, and the glistening substance with which it is coated gives it an iridescent effect like moonlight. I should like to see a gown of this description made perfectly plain in princess fashion, with perhaps a semi-transparent yoke of chiffon and tiny seed pearl embroidery. If worn by a brunette or a red haired woman it would be stunning.

She nearly has a fit when her boy fights.

Have I told you how many princess dresses are being worn here in New York? You see them not only at private houses, but at the theater, in restaurants and even for ordinary street wear.

A well known Fifth avenue firm of dressmakers has just finished an iron gray silk princess dress very simply made and trimmed only with beautifully stitched strappings of the same silk and a little chemisette and cuffs of white tucking. This is to be used for utility wear—shopping, driving, etc.—and it can be worn with perfect propriety all day long.

Another gown I admired very much was made by the same firm. The material was white chiffon voile. The cut was, again, princess. The fullness of the bust was brought into fine tucks at the waist line, and the skirt was made in three tiers, joined together by cording. The sole trimming was composed of medallions of German valenciennes. The material was so sheer that it gave the effect of a rich batiste.

Batiste Frocks.

A great many batiste frocks will also be made in one piece and worn over slips of pale blue or pale pink. There is no prettier style than this for a young girl or a young woman. A simple silk frock is a summer necessity. There are times when a tailor made is out of place and an elaborate gown uncalled for. Then you want a pretty green, old rose or lavender silk with a guimpe effect and a trimming consisting of a few bits of white lace. There is no reason why a dress of this sort may not be attempted successfully at home. Inexpensive foulard or chiffon taffeta at 58 cents a yard is plenty good enough. Make the sleeves elbow length and allow the white puff of the guimpe to show a good bit.

I particularly approve of silks in the soft tones of lavender and pale green, as they look cool and dainty on a warm day and may easily be matched to parasols, which is more than may be said of a good many of the new rose shades.

The well dressed woman, you know, always bears in mind the question of accessories when buying material for a costume.

KATE CLYDE.

New York.

BRETELLE EVENING FROCK.

This evening frock is of violet chiffon. Straight ruffles of the material finished with shirred headings trim the skirt. A novel feature of the skirt is the flight of deep violet velvet pompadour bows trimming the ruffles at the back seam. The bodice is a bloused affair covered with shirred bretelles. The puffed sleeves are ornamented with pompadour bows. The girdle is of violet velvet.

WOMAN'S GRIT IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY.

FOLLOWING are a few facts gleaned from current news dispatches. They show what the woman sex has evolved into and is today. They do not need any comment. They are their own comment:

Miss Lena Neuscheler found a man in her room stealing her jewels and money. She grappled with him and held him with all her might. He twisted and turned and shook and tried to jiu jitsu her, but ne'er a jiu jitsu. It wouldn't work. With all the power of her strong young arms she clung to him and called to her father. The girl's mother telephoned for the police. The girl ordered the burglar to place a chair in the corner and sit down upon it. The fellow was so taken by surprise that he obeyed. He took from his pocket a large roll of money and offered it to her if she would let him go. She refused, and just then the police entered and took charge of her burglar.

Next: A young lady of Brooklyn saw a runaway horse plunging madly forward, dragging a carriage, which whirled this way and that, threatening death and destruction. A dozen men witnessed the dangerous situation, but none moved. The young lady rushed from the sidewalk to the street and just as the crazy horse dashed by caught him by the bridle and held on like steel. The horse pulled her forward with him, but still she clung to the bridle, which fortunately did not give way, and by the time he had dragged her twenty feet he was mastered and stopped by the young heroine.

She would not give her name, but said she was a schoolteacher, then laughingly remarked that she hadn't done anything to speak of and went her way.

Again: Fire suddenly broke out in a city apartment house containing fifty families. The alarm was given. Many men and some women in the house were scared crazy, thinking of the peril to their own precious lives. Miss Lillian Schnell, telephone operator in the house, snatched the fire extinguishers and used them, called up the fire department, broke in doors to warn families that did not know of the flames and finally ran the elevator through the heat and smoke till she had carried men, women and babies safe to the ground.

"Danger always acts as a stimulant to my nerves," said Miss Schnell.

A married couple—well, say they were Mr. and Mrs. Blankey—had been very fond of athletics when they were sweethearts. After their marriage the husband kept up the athletics and on a certain occasion when he felt hilarious tried to practice on his wife. He raised so great a disturbance that neighbors rushed in to see what he was about. They found his wife calmly tying him to a chair. He had begun to smash things, then attacked her. She had promptly knocked him over and laid him out. She next tied him to the chair, sent for a policeman to put him in a place of safety till he got sober, then went home to her mother to wait till that happened. In the police court Mr. Blankey said he had had enough and wouldn't undertake athletic performances at home again.

With a ten pound turkey which she had just brought home from market for a weapon Mrs. Jacobs knocked down a thief whom she found robbing her house. He jumped up and ran, Mrs. Jacobs after him, banging him with the turkey and yelling for the police till the officers secured him. The turkey was spoiled, however.

Two women, Mrs. Kunze and Mrs. Holmes, chased a robber over the roofs of several tenement houses till they got near enough for Mrs. Kunze to whack him over the head with her clothes stick, after which the women followed him up so closely that they captured him and turned him over to the police.

In North Carolina a noted tough had long persecuted Mrs. Phillips, a highly respected young married woman, with his attentions. At length one day she ordered him from her premises. He refused to go, but approached her in a violent and threatening manner. She raised a shotgun and told him if he came over her fence she would shoot him. He did come, and she emptied the contents of the gun into his body. He dropped dead, a warning to all "mashers."

KATHERINE BLADES.

A MODISH SUMMER HAT.

The hat illustrated is of pale yellow chip. A bandeau covered with shaded nasturtiums placed at the side gives the tilt which fashion requires in her up to date millinery creations.

The crown is formed of nasturtiums and their foliage. Raising this floral trimming a little at one side are two large Marshal Neil roses. A black aigret also gives height and graceful lines to the hat. Black velvet faces the brim.

WOMAN, THE CONSOLER.

What a consoler is woman! No presence but hers can so win a man from his sorrow, make placid the knit brow and wreath the stern lips into a smile. The soldier becomes a lightsome boy at her feet, the anxious statesman smiles himself back to the free hearted youth beside her, and the still and shaded countenance of care brightens beneath her influence.

Helen Campbell

AUTHOR, LECTURER AND SOCIOLOGIST

IF we could have chosen our own grandmothers we might have amounted to something. Helen Campbell and other noted sociological workers have discovered that, next to this impossible achievement of choosing our own grandparents, the best thing to do is to train the grandparents of the future so that their descendants will have no grudge at them. This can be done by catching the coming grandparent, especially the coming grandmother, sufficiently young.

Mrs. Campbell has found that the great poverty evil, particularly with her own sex, is largely due to absolute lack of industrial training. Thousands of mothers cannot even wash a child's

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neck and ears, only smear them. This woman who has done such solid, telling work for her day and generation observes concerning the remedy for poverty:

"I may say that I care most for industrial education as a possible solution of the problem—the kindergarten for the beginners, to be followed by progressive industrial training. This, understand me, for the rich as well as for the poor. They should be trained side by side when they are young. If this were done there could never be the awful divorce of interests that comes afterward."

In general, Mrs. Campbell finds the schools of the west much better than those in the east.

It was her love of children, to start with, that helped evolve Helen Campbell into both writer and sociologist. She was born in Lockport, N. Y., and her maiden name was Helen Stuart, her father descended from clan Stuart of bonnie Scotland. In childhood she began to tell stories to children to entertain them.

"I always told stories to children—all my days," she says.

Telling children's stories with the pen naturally followed. The girl became a contributor to various periodicals for young people. The next step was writing whole books of child stories. Eight of these followed one another rapidly.

Meantime Helen Stuart had become Mrs. Campbell. Her husband was an army surgeon. With him from post to post, if not from pillar to post, army life fashion, wandered Mrs. Campbell, camping, not really living, now here, now there, crisscrossing North America over and over again. She was sometimes in places where no white woman had been before. But all the time the quick eye and alert brain of the story teller were taking notes and studying the relations of facts.

One night eighteen years ago Helen Campbell visited the famous "Jerry McAuley's mission" in New York city. "That night a champion for the wage earner was made." Misery such as was uncovered to her mind at Jerry McAuley's mission was something she had never known of before. She could not get away from it. She went and lived in the midst of it for some time, studying conditions and means of relieving them.

The child stories were interrupted. Henceforth Helen Campbell was to be a sociological writer and worker. After dwelling among the poverty stricken, the ignorant and the helpless—helpless because ignorant—she wrote a monograph on the "Problem of the Poor." A novel, "Mrs. Herndon's Income," quickly followed this. It, too, dealt with the problem of the poor. The editor of a leading New York newspaper read the book. He sent for Mrs. Campbell and asked her to write a series of letters for his journal on the condition of the poor and how to alleviate it. The result was the appearance of a remarkable set of papers called "Prisoners of Poverty." A yet wider field opened for the author, and she went to Europe and wrote another set, "Prisoners of Poverty Abroad." During that trip she investigated especially the situation among the hapless women wage earners of the old world. This was in 1889.

After her return from abroad she continued writing novels and essays. In 1893 she read a paper at the Chicago world's labor congress. Thereupon Professor Richard T. Ely wrote her to come to the University of Wisconsin as special lecturer. This she did, having the post of assistant professor in the department of economics. She was also continually studying, mastering details and statistics. Naturally, being a woman, household economics claimed her attention. She wrote, studied and experimented. "One must marry one's economic theory to experience before it can be of any value," she remarks. Mrs. Campbell has been called the mother of scientific household economics, which she has studied in both Europe and America.

Mrs. Campbell's book "Household Economics" was published in 1896. It is full of fact, science and practical instruction, the result of observation and experiences on both sides of the Atlantic. One of the foreign notes is this: "There are towns in Holland where even the stables are scrubbed daily, and a wandering fly or a particle of dust is attacked with passionate zeal. Yet indoors every principle of personal hygiene is violated at every turn."

In the preparation of the volume "Household Economics" Mrs. Campbell received valuable aid from her friend, Charlotte Perkins Gilman. The two wrought together for a time in Chicago in conjunction with Jane Addams of Hull House. The three friends, all in close sympathy, form a trio of women social reformers the like of which cannot be found in any other land.

Mrs. Campbell was a professor for some years in the agricultural college of Kansas university, in the department of economics. She has written many books, novels and others, all having more or less the ethical and economic trend. A little more than a year ago in a fire at Greenacre, Me., were destroyed documents, statistical and otherwise, invaluable to this brave writer and logical thinker. Among the papers were two books ready for publication. The loss was irreparable, yet courageous Helen Campbell began all over again. At present she is writing another novel.

She is as well acquainted with what is called social settlement work as any one living. She considers that the enterprise of this kind nearest perfection is the Boston Civic House, where young foreigners are taught to become intelligent American citizens. From among the immigrant children of poverty befriended in that house have gone out Italian, Russian Jew and other boys to fill honorable places. Some of them are now Harvard college students. Note what this clear headed student of sociology says of woman's clubs—and men's, too, for that matter:

"I want to live to see the day when the organizations of women shall be completed and outgrown. We need organizations of men and women, and I think the time is not far distant when we shall be ready for them. Then we shall not have congresses of men and congresses of women, but assemblies of men and woman working together for the good of all."

But an irreverent feminine doubter suggests that in this case the men would do all the talking and elect themselves to all the offices.

CHARLOTTE M. LAMBERT.

PRINCESS MARGARET, FIANCEE OF THE SWEDISH CROWN PRINCE.

Most notable of royal matches in many a year is that arranged between Gustavus Adolphus, crown prince of Sweden and Norway, and Princess Margaret of Connaught. The wedding will probably not take place till next year. The bride, daughter of the Duke of Connaught, granddaughter of Queen Victoria and niece of King Edward, is one of the handsomest of the younger members of the British royal family. The gallant young bridegroom to be is a great-great-grandson of the beautiful and fascinating yet unhappy Empress Josephine of France. The daughter of Eugene Beauharnais, duke of Leuchtenberg, was the mother of King Oscar of Sweden and Norway, who is young Gustavus' grandfather. By the marriage of Prince Gustavus Adolphus and Princess Margaret, therefore, will be mingled the blood of Empress Josephine and that of the British royal family. Princess Margaret has the round, plump face of her grandmother, Queen Victoria.

AN ABSENTMINDED FARMER.

A farmer and his wife went one day to the nearest town, some twenty miles distant, to buy a few things of which they stood in need. After purchasing, the good lady left her husband to pay a hurried visit to an old school friend. The farmer, thinking it time to leave for home, checked the articles with his list. "Tea, yes; coffee, yes; ax, yes; nails, yes; flour, yes. Seems all right, but I can't help thinking there is something else." Not being able to remember what it was, he started, being filled all the way with the thought that he had left something behind. Again he ran through the list of his purchases, and again everything appeared to be all right. On arriving at the farm his little daughter came out from the house. "Why, father," said she, "where's mother?" Then he knew what it was he had left.

KEEPING THE FACE FAIR.

The twentieth century is not conducive to reposeful or unlined faces. The stifling atmosphere of crowded drawing rooms or theaters is in itself very bad, clogging up the pores of the skin and drying it up, and it is always therefore beneficial to cleanse the face at night, afterward applying a pure cream before retiring, though the morning is by rights the proper time for massage. All the movements must be very gentle, yet firm withal, never stretching the outer skin, but letting the pressure be felt underneath; also all the movements must be outward and upward, from the middle of the forehead and bridge of the nose toward the temples, from the nostrils to the tips of the ears, and then gradually working as far as the neck and throat, where the upward movements begin. The massage should be completed by gentle circular rubbing on the hollows of the temples, cheeks and under chin.

Where it is possible apply steaming in the Russian manner—that is to say, apply a pure grease to the face before the steam is used. This same idea is to be recommended before taking a Turkish bath or even an ordinary one, as it prevents the skin becoming too dry or in some cases baggy. The massage completed, a good skin tonic should be sprayed on and the face fanned to dry it. The great thing to remember is to be careful of the quality of everything used—as, for instance, certain undesirable ingredients in skin foods may cause superfluous hair. Above everything, it is essential to cultivate repose of features.

If a finger has been pounded or crushed plunge it into water as hot as can be borne. This will relieve the pain more than anything else.

GOWN OF PARIS MUSLIN.

The simple little gown illustrated is of white Paris muslin. The skirt is fluffily trimmed with alternate rows of tiny ruffles of the muslin headed by groups of tucks. The décollete waist is shirred about the round neck, and two ruffles of tiny real valenciennes lace are run between the lines of stitching. The high puffed sleeves finish with several lace ruffles.

FALL RIVER WON

Knew When to Hit the Ball

LOWELL MADE TWO BAD ERRORS

Merritt Caught a Nice Game Saturday

Martin Mack wore a glad smile as the cars which came to Spalding park Saturday afternoon stopped and hundreds of people approached the box office and bought tickets. The attendance was the best of the season, it being nearly 2000.

Owing to the injury to Anderberg's finger there was a change in the lineup. Merritt took Anderberg's place and caught, while Bigbie went down to first base and Tierney filled in at right field.

Captain Willey and "Old Sport" had a hot argument before the game started, in which the spectators also took part and it was decided that the argument was a draw.

After half an hour's practice Umpire Kerins called time at 3 o'clock.

FIRST INNING.

Fall River was first to bat and Kiernan flied out to Grant. O'Hara hit to left field for a single. Bowcock foul flied out to Merritt. Gulheen closed the inning by flying out to McLaughlin.

Lowell also went out in quick order. Connors hit to Gulheen and was out at first. Grant hit to Moorehead, and reached first in safety. He then stole second base. Bigbie hit to Moorehead and was out at first, and Grant took a run down to third base. Jackson, however, closed the inning by hitting to right field and was caught out by Birmingham.

Score—Lowell 0, Fall River 0.

SECOND INNING.

Neither side scored in the second inning. Birmingham hit to Bushey and was out at first. Moorehead flied out to Grant. Dwyer ended the inning by flying out to Jackson.

Lowell also went out in quick order. Merritt sent a grounder to Gulheen and was out at first. J. Connors hit to Moorehead and was the second out. A grounder to Bowcock hit by McLaughlin closed the inning.

Score—Lowell 0, Fall River 0.

THIRD INNING.

The visitors scored two runs in the third inning, while the local players failed to get around the bases. Sullivan singled and he was followed by Harris who also singled. Kiernan bunted to Bushey who tried to throw Sullivan out at third, but he threw the ball wild and the runners were safe, Sullivan scoring on the play. Harris hit to McLaughlin and was thrown out at first. Bowcock then struck out. Gulheen hit to McLaughlin, who threw to Bigbie, but the throw was bad and Harris scored. Birmingham closed the inning by striking out.

In Lowell's half the team had a chance to score, but failed to make good. Tierney singled over third base. Bushey hit to Gulheen who threw to catch Tierney, but Moorehead dropped the ball. Connors then sacrificed, advancing the men a base. Grant hit to Moorehead and was out at first. Bushey ran down to third thinking that Tierney would go home, and Tierney was caught out at third, closing the inning.

Score—Fall River 2, Lowell 0.

FOURTH INNING.

The visitors went out in quick order in the fourth inning. Moorehead hit to left field for a single. Dwyer sacrificed. Sullivan and Harris struck out.

For Lowell Bigbie flied out to Moorehead. Jackson flied out to Birmingham. Merritt reached first on an error by Moorehead who fumbled Merritt's grounder. J. Connors closed the inning by hitting to Bowcock and forcing Merritt out at second.

Score—Fall River 2, Lowell 0.

FIFTH INNING.

Fall River had three men on bases in the fifth but failed to score a run. Kiernan flied out to Grant for a starter. O'Hara then drew his base on balls. Bowcock singled over second base and O'Hara took second. Gulheen drew his base on balls filling the bases. Birmingham hit to J. Connors who threw O'Hara out at the plate. Moorehead closed the inning by striking out.

In the latter half of the fifth inning the local players went out in quick order. McLaughlin and Tierney flied out to Kiernan. Bushey hit to Harris who knocked the ball down and Moorehead fielded it down to first.

Score—Fall River 2, Lowell 0.

SIXTH INNING.

In the sixth inning Dwyer drew his base on balls. Sullivan and Harris struck out. Kiernan hit to left field scoring Dwyer. O'Hara closed the inning by flying out to Jackson.

Connors singled to left field and Grant flied out to Dwyer. Bigbie foul flied out to Sullivan. Jackson hit to right field, but Merritt closed the inning by hitting to Gulheen and going out at first.

Score—Fall River 3, Lowell 0.

SEVENTH INNING.

The visitors scored another run in the seventh inning. Bowcock drew his base on balls. Gulheen sacrificed sending him to second. Birmingham singled and Bowcock scored. Birmingham tried to steal second and was thrown out. Moorehead closed the inning by hitting to Connors and going out at first.

Lowell broke the ice and scored a run in the latter half of the seventh inning. J. Connors flied out to Moorehead. McLaughlin made a single over second base, but he was forced out by Tierney who sent a grounder to Moorehead. Tierney then stole second. Bushey then made a hit and Tierney scored. Connors closed the inning by striking out, the first strike-out made by Harris during the game.

Score—Fall River 4, Lowell 1.

EIGHTH INNING.

Dwyer and Sullivan opened the eighth inning by striking out. Harris hit to the left field fence for a nice single. Kiernan closed the inning by foul flying out to J. Connor.

In Lowell's half Grant hit to Bowcock and was out at first. Bigbie hit to Grant and was out at first. Jackson hit to Moorehead and died at first.

Score—Fall River 4, Lowell 1.

NINTH INNING.

O'Hara opened the ninth inning by striking out. Bowcock hit to Bigbie and was out at first. Gulheen drew his base on balls. Birmingham hit to left centre for a single and Gulheen was put out while trying to make third.

Merritt foul flied to Birmingham. J. Connors flied to Moorehead. McLaughlin hit the ball to the left field fence for a two bagger. Tierney flied out to Moorehead.

FALL RIVER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Kiernan lf	5	0	1	1	2	0	0
O'Hara rf	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Bowcock 3b	4	1	1	1	0	4	0
Gulheen 2b	2	0	0	0	2	5	0
Birmingham 1b	5	0	2	2	15	1	0
Moorehead ss	4	0	1	1	5	5	2
Dwyer cf	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
Sullivan c	3	1	1	1	2	1	0
Harris p	4	1	2	2	0	2	0
Totals	33	4	9	9	27	18	2

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
W. Connors 2b	3	0	1	1	1	1	0
Grant rf	4	0	1	1	3	1	0
Bigbie 1b	4	0	0	0	6	0	0
Jackson lf	4	0	1	1	2	0	0
Merritt c	4	0	0	0	12	1	0
J. Connors 3b	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	2	3	1	1	1
Tierney rf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Bushey p	2	0	1	1	0	3	1
Totals	33	1	7	8	27	8	2

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lowell	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Fall River	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	—4

Summary: Two-base hits—McLaughlin. Sacrifice hits—Gulheen 2, W. Connors. Stolen bases—Bowcock, Dwyer, Grant. First base on balls—Off Bushey 5. Struck out—By Bushey 9, by Harris 1. Time of game—1.50. Attendance—2000. Umpire—Kerins.

19 INNINGS

NASHUA FINALLY WON WITH A HOME RUN.

LYNN, May 29.—The longest and most exciting league championship game of baseball ever played in this vicinity was conducted by the Lynn and Nashua clubs of the New England league at Lynn Saturday afternoon, and after 19 innings was won by the latter, 2 to 1. Neither side was able to score until the 17th inning, when Murch of the Nashuas, the first man to bat, made a line drive over the left field fence for a home run. Lynn tied in its half and in a most peculiar fashion. With three on bases and none out, Lovell hits to Murch, who threw home, forcing Pastor, and the ball was thrown by Eaton to Wiley in time to double Lovell. One of the Lynn coaches ran toward the runner, causing Wiley to think it was a base runner, and he threw wildly past Eaton, allowing Bannon to score the tying run. But for this Nashua would have won 1 to 0 in 17 innings.

In the 15th inning Beard reached first with two, but failed to get any farther and for Lynn Daum opened with a hit, but was unable to profit thereby. With two out for Nashua in the 19th inning Wiley lifted the ball over the left field fence and scored what proved to be the winning run. Lynn had the top of its batting order up and went out in order.

Both O'Toole and Vail pitched great ball. The latter had more strike-outs, but was not so effective as his rival. He struck out 25 men during the game, 15 of them in the first nine innings. Beard, who leads off in batting for Nashua, struck out six times in eight times at bat. Vail gave but three bases and O'Toole six.

Score by innings:

Nashua 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—2
Lynn ...0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—1

Runs—Murch, Wiley Bannon. Two base hit—Wiley. Home runs—Murch, Wiley. Sacrifice hits—Daum, Bannon. Stolen bases—Beard, Bannon, Cassidy, J. Murphy, Eaton, Wiley, O'Neil 2. Double plays—Pastor and Lake; Murch, T. Murphy and Wiley 2. Hart (unassisted), Henry and Eaton; Murch, Eaton and Wiley. First base on balls—Off O'Toole 6, off Vail 2. Hit by pitched ball—T. Murphy. Struck out—by O'Toole 7, by Vail 25. Wild pitch—O'Toole. Time—3.15. Umpire—McCloud. Attendance—1500.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Manchester	16	8	.667
Fall River	12	8	.600
New Bedford	12	9	.571
Haverhill	10	10	.500
Lowell	11	12	.478
Concord	10	12	.456
Nashua	9	12	.429
Lynn	6	15	.286

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Lynn—Nashua 2, Lynn 1 (19 innings.) Attendance—1500.

At Lowell—Fall River 4, Lowell 1. Attendance—1200.

At Haverhill—Concord 3, Haverhill 1. Attendance—1600.

At Manchester—Manchester 12, New Bedford 5. Attendance—1575.

GAMES TODAY.
(New England League.)

Lowell at Haverhill.
Nashua at Concord.
Fall River at New Bedford.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	21	8	.771
Pittsburg	20	15	.571
Philadelphia	17	16	.515
Chicago	19	18	.513
Cincinnati	15	18	.455
Boston	14	20	.412
St. Louis	14	20	.412
Brooklyn	14	26	.350

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.
(Saturday Games.)

At Philadelphia—Boston 3, Philadelphia 0. Attendance—6031.

At New York—New York 4, Brooklyn 1. Attendance—12,000.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg 8, Cincinnati 3. Attendance—7020.

At Chicago—Chicago 8, St. Louis 3. Attendance—3800.

(Sunday Games.)

At Chicago—St. Louis 6, Chicago 1.

GAMES TODAY.
(National League.)

Philadelphia at Boston.
Brooklyn at New York.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Cleveland	19	11	.633
Chicago	19	12	.613
Philadelphia	17	14	.549
Detroit	16	15	.516
Washington	16	18	.471
St. Louis	15	18	.455
Boston	13	19	.407
New York	13	20	.393

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.
(Saturday Game.)

At Chicago—Chicago 9, Boston 2. Attendance—3310.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 6, New York 3. Attendance—7535.

At Detroit—Detroit 3, Philadelphia Athletics 2. Attendance—4500.

At St. Louis—Washington 2, St. Louis 1. Attendance—5100.

(Sunday Games.)

Chicago—Boston 8, Chicago 5.

At St. Louis—St. Louis 5, Washington 1.

GAMES TODAY.
(American League.)

New York at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Detroit at Chicago.

OTHER SATURDAY GAMES.

At Wakefield—Wakefield High 6, Lowell High 4.

Lowell 8, R. A., 6, Mathews 5 (15 innings.)

Red Men 7, Elms 6.

At North Billerica—North Billerica 12, Sacred Hearts 10 (12 innings.)

Cushing Academy 7, Textile School 6.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES.
(New England League.)

Monday—Nashua at Concord, Fall River at New Bedford.

Tuesday—(Morning)—Fall River at New Bedford, Lowell at Nashua, Manchester at Concord, Lynn at Haverhill; afternoon)—New Bedford at Fall River, Nashua at Lowell, Concord at Manchester, Haverhill at Lynn.

Wednesday—Manchester at New Bedford, Concord at Fall River, Nashua at Lynn.

Thursday—Manchester at New Bedford, Concord at Fall River, Nashua at Lynn, Lowell at Haverhill.

Friday—Manchester at Fall River, Concord at New Bedford, Haverhill at Nashua, Lowell at Lynn.

Saturday—Manchester at Fall River, Concord at New Bedford, Nashua at Haverhill, Lowell at Lynn.

(American League.)

Monday—New York at Philadelphia, St. Louis at Cleveland, Detroit at Chicago.

Tuesday (two games)—Boston at Washington, New York at Philadelphia, St. Louis at Cleveland, Detroit at Chicago.

Wednesday—Boston at Washington, (two games), New York at Philadelphia, St. Louis at Cleveland, Detroit at Chicago.

Thursday—Boston at New York, Washington at Philadelphia, Detroit at St. Louis, Cleveland at Chicago.

Friday—Boston at New York, Washington at Philadelphia, Detroit at St. Louis.

Saturday—Boston at New York, Washington at Philadelphia, Detroit at St. Louis, Cleveland at Chicago.

Sunday, June 4—Detroit at St. Louis, Cleveland at Chicago.

(National League.)

Monday and two games on Tuesday—Philadelphia at Boston, Brooklyn at New York, St. Louis at Pittsburg, Chicago at Cincinnati.

Wednesday—Philadelphia at Boston, New York at Brooklyn, Chicago at Cincinnati.

Thursday and Friday—New York at Boston, Philadelphia at Brooklyn, St. Louis at Cincinnati, Chicago at Pittsburg.

Saturday—New York at Boston (two games), Philadelphia at Brooklyn, Cincinnati at St. Louis, Chicago at Pittsburg.

Rev. John J. Shaw, rector of St. Michael's church, goes to Washington the last of the week to be present at the commencement of Trinity college and witness the graduation of his niece, Miss Mary A. Feenan of Salem. Miss Feenan will take the leading part in a production of Tennyson's Princess, and is the class poet.

JACKSON LEADS

THE LOWELL AGGREGATION AT THE BAT.

The batting and fielding averages of the Lowell team are as follows:

	g	ab	r	bh	tb	av	t av	2b	3b	hr
Jackson	23	94	13	31	41	.332	[illegible]	7	1	0
Bigbie	22	88	12	28	32	.318	[illegible]	1	0	1
W. Connors	23	92	13	23	21	.250	.281	1	0	0
Tierney	11	28	6	6	8	.214	.286	[illegible]	0	0
Anderberg	20	67	9	14	15	.209	[illegible]	1	0	0
J. Connors	22	82	10	17	17	.207	.207	0	0	0
Grant	23	99	10	29	25	.292	[illegible]	5	0	0
Merritt	23	84	5	15	18	.179	.214	2	0	0
Bushey	7	22	2	3	3	.136	.136	0	0	0
McLaughlin	23	75	7	8	11	.107	.147	3	0	0
Coughlin	6	19	1	1	1	.053	.053	0	0	0
Cross	6	17	0	0	0	.000	.000	0	0	0

FIELDING AVERAGES.

	po	a	e	av	sb	sh
Jackson lf	9	0	0	1.000	0	0
Merritt c	17	2	0	1.000	0	0
Bigbie 1b	10	0	0	1.000	0	0
Tierney rf	4	0	0	1.000	0	0
Anderberg c	100	20	2	.982	1	4
Merritt 1b	190	4	1	.980	1	2
W. Connors 2b	46	60	3	.972	1	4
Bigbie lf	48	1	1	.925	1	4
Jackson cf	22	0	2	.917	4	1
Grant cf	63	10	7	.913	8	6
Tierney p	4	24	3	.903	1	0
Cross p	1	17	2	.900	0	0
J. Connors 3b	24	31	9	.858	6	2
Coughlin p	1	6	1	.875	0	1
McLaughlin ss	51	61	17	.864	1	1
Bushey p	0	8	2	.800	0	0
W. Connors 3b	4	1	2	.714	0	0

WEBSTER SYSTEM.

	ab	bb	p. c.	Previous record
Jackson	92	66	.710	.730
Merritt	82	47	.573	.635
Anderberg	65	34	.508	.520
Bigbie	55	43	.506	.467
J. Connors	51	37	.457	.400
Grant	94	43	.448	.407
Tierney	24	10	.427	.375
W. Connors	91	37	.407	.472
McLaughlin	72	21	.335	.393
Bushey	23	5	.218	.118
Coughlin	10	4	.200	.235
Cross	17	1	.069	.063

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Haverhill today.

Only one home game this week.

Lynn has released Gokey and Nashua takes him up.

The fans are handing it out fiercely to McLaughlin these days.

The team plays in Nashua tomorrow morning and in Lowell in the afternoon.

Connie Murphy was suspended last week for calling Umpire Kerins "rotten." Connie always did have tough luck with Kerins.

Vail of Lynn struck out 25 men in Saturday's game, probably a world's record, and yet his team lost. Two home runs won the game.

"Muggsy" McGraw has been fined $150 and suspended for 15 days for getting gay with Pres. Dreyfus of the Pittsburg team.

Martin Mack isn't satisfied with the work of the team and unless certain players show an improvement in a few days they will be aild off the team. Lowell is one of the best paid teams in the league and should not be weak.

Mr. Ralph W. Clogston, formerly of this city, now located at Newport, Vt., is visiting relatives and renewing acquaintances here and in Boston.

CRICKET GAMES

BUNTINGS DEFEATED THE LYNN TEAM SATURDAY.

The Lynn Wanderers were defeated by the United States Bunting Cricket club Saturday afternoon by a score of 92 to 86 on the former's grounds at Lynnhurst. The game was too one-sided to be called interesting, for the Buntings had but two wickets down when the victory was made. The score:

Lynn Wanderers 86
Buntings 92

ZION RESERVES WON.

The Zion Reserves went to Methuen Saturday and defeated the Methuens by a score of 76 to 41. The score:

Zion Reserves 76
Methuen Reserves 41

MOHAIRS DEFEATED.

The Mohair cricket team was defeated on the Franklin field, Boston, yesterday, by the West Indias, an aggregation of enthusiastic colored players. The game was a close one, the difference in the scores at the finish of the game being only six runs. The score:

West Indias 65
Mohairs 59

NORTH BILLERICA WON.

Andover travelled to North Billerica Saturday afternoon and met defeat at the cricket team representing that town. The score at the end of the game was 56 to 29 in North Billerica's favor. The score:

North Billerica 56
Andover 29

IRISH LEAGUE

THE LEAGUE TO CONGRATULATE NATIONAL TREASURER.

The meeting of the United Irish League at A. O. H. hall last night was well attended, President Connolly in the chair.

The Gaelic class had a very successful session from 6.30 till 8 o'clock, under the direction of Prof. Coakley of Lawrence.

A committee was appointed to procure a local speaker for the next meeting two weeks hence, and was requested to announce his name to the press in due time.

The "Ho for the eltach" picnic was talked of and steps taken to advance the arrangements for the affair.

A committee was appointed to draft a resolution congratulating the national treasurer, Mr. J. B. Gitzpatrick of Boston, on the high honor conferred upon him in being made the recipient of the Laetare medal of the university of Notre Dame, Ind., given in recognition of his spotless integrity, his public and private virtues, his benevolence and philanthropy.

The meeting adjourned for two weeks.

THE M. C. PRATT LAND SALE.

The sale of the M. C. Pratt land on the Princeton boulevard, advertised during the past week in The Sun, has begun with a rush. Already 22 lots of the 125 have been disposed of and others are being snatched up daily. On Saturday several parties selected lots and promised to call today and make deposits upon them, but they had not been gone half an hour when other parties selected the same lots and made their deposits. So the boom goes on. Call early if you want to get the best lots.

SCHOOL TEACHERS

WILL HOLD LAST REGULAR TERM MEETING WEDNESDAY.

The last regular term meeting of public school teachers for the present school year will be held in the High School hall Wednesday afternoon, May 31, at 4.30 o'clock.

The meeting will be addressed by Wilson L. Gill, L. L. D., supervisor of moral and civic teaching in Cuba, under the United States military government, on the general topic of "The School City."

The public is invited to this as to all meetings of teachers.

Among the Lowell men who will take part in Memorial day observances out-of-town are: William A. Mack, who goes back to his old home at Amherst, N. H., to take charge of the Memorial Day exercises. Solon W. Stevens, esq., is to be the orator at Montague, before a post commanded by a former Lowell man, Lyman H. Sewall, a son of the late Samuel Sewall. Hon. O. A. Marden will deliver the Memorial Day address at Webster.

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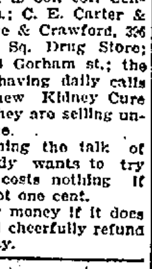

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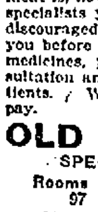

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AT $1.49—White Lawn. Yoke of all-over tucking. Blouse of three rows of 2-inch lace insertion and beading. Tucked back and cuffs. Large sleeves. Fancy stock. Worth $2.

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From Merrimack St.

5.45, 6.22, 6.45, 7.40, 8.50, 9.22, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, 5.44 p. m.

Sundays, 8.45 a. m.

From Middlesex St.

To Boston.		From Boston.	
Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.28	7.40	6.30	7.26
6.39	7.30	7.54	8.54
6.49	7.53	8.25	9.01
7.01	8.02	9.00	9.57
7.24	8.10	10.00	10.57
7.31	8.53	10.17	11.34
7.48	8.55	11.30	12.07
7.52	10.05	2.00	12.56
8.37	9.40	1.00	1.37
9.33	10.18	2.00	3.01
11.03	12.00	3.00	3.37
11.45	12.24	3.47	5.00
12.14	1.00	4.14	5.30
1.44	2.30	5.00	5.37
1.56	2.33	5.38	6.25
3.47	4.33	5.47	6.54
4.23	5.30	6.14	7.30
5.22	6.15	7.30	8.08
5.49	7.00	8.30	9.08
6.12	6.55	10.30	11.34
7.29	8.10	11.20	12.21

WESTERN DIV.

From Middlesex St.

To Boston.		From Boston.	
Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.53	7.30	8.21
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.33	10.45	11.46
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.04
12.05	1.26	2.15	3.25
1.50	2.00	3.35	4.56
2.30	3.33	4.59	5.41
3.10	4.05	6.01	7.02
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.44
5.05	6.48	9.40	10.33
5.15	7.10	*11.11	12.13
7.00	1.00		
8.30	0.29		

* Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	9.25	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.20	12.00	1.00
3.35	4.50	6.00	6.25
5.52	6.53		
8.00	9.00		

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.39	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.48	9.40	5.00	5.58
9.20	10.15	7.30	8.08
2.25	3.27	8.30	9.08
6.31	7.23	9.00	10.02

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JAPANESE TEA PARTY.

A Japanese tea party was given by the Junior Christian Endeavor society in the vestry of the Kirk Street church Saturday afternoon, and the affair proved to be a grand success.

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MAY PROCESSION

Grand Spectacle at St. Michael's

ABOUT 1200 WERE IN THE LINE

Big Processions in Other Churches

The ceremony of crowning the statue of the Blessed Virgin was carried out at St. Michael's church yesterday afternoon with unusual splendor. A great May procession in which twelve hundred persons marched was witnessed by thousands of people who lined the sidewalks and streets through which the paraders passed.

It was an ideal day for the event and the pretty spectacle furnished by the little children wearing white dresses, and little angels and the adults dressed in black, while the women wearing long white veils also was very striking and impressive.

Long before 2 o'clock the streets leading to the Centralville church were crowded with people making their way from the city proper to the scene of the procession. Those who took part in the procession assembled in the school hall and under the direction of Rev. Fr. Murphy the long line was formed. So great was the crush about the church and school that it was with difficulty that the police opened up a passageway, and acolytes led the way accompanied by a military escort. Then the little ones dressed to represent the different religious characters, followed; John the Baptist represented by John B. Villancour; Good Shepherd, Ronan McCann; Queen of Martyrs, Alice Donohoe; Emblem of Faith, Mary Sorenson; Children of Faith group, Mary McLaughlin, Mary McCarthy, Lillian Dooley, Esther Boyle, Mary Agnes Gallagher, Catherine Sullivan, Ruth McMahon, Alice Daly; Hope, Mary Sorenson; Hope group, Lena Tully, Lena Senior, Annie Eagan, Esther Senior; Charity, Mary Gilligan; Charity group, Louise Roach, Mary Etta Kelley, Emma Curzier, Nellie Donovan, Sadie McKenna, Nellie McCann, Rose Monohan, Ethel Dragon, Agnes McPadden, Misses Callahan, Moulton, Moran, Rourke, Callahan, Eagan, Burns and Riordan; Our Lady of the Snow, Ellen Daly; attendants, Gertrude Riordan, Georgiana McKinley; St. Ursuline, Mary Cawley; St. Agnes, Catherine Martin; St. Cecelia, Mary Shore; St. Barbara, Mary Collins; St. Catherine, Winifred Hart; St. Thecla, Margaret Chisholm; St. Christina, Mary McDonough; St. Helena, Agnes Brennan; St. Joan of Arc, Minnie Bradley; St. Genevieve, Mary Smith; St. Agatha, Nellie Moore.

The angels were represented by Marion Molton, Frances Callaghan, Madeline Molton, Mary Callaghan, Gertrude Reardon, Georgiana Keith, Mary Burns, Catherine Eagan, Margaret O'Rourke, Catherine McPadden, Annie O'Brien, Veronica Noonan, Katherine Roach, Mary Walsh, Mary Gallagher, Peter Moulton.

The virgins were: Ellen Daley, Mary Cawley, Catherine Martin, Nellie Moor, May Shore, Mary Powers, Winnie Hart, Margaret Chisholm, Margaret McDonough, Agnes Breen, Annie Brady, Annie Bradley, Mary Smith.

Besides these the first division included the boys and girls carrying the banners of the joyful, sorrowful and glorious mysteries.

Headed by an escort of militia the second division was led by the Queen of May, impersonated by Miss Lillian Burns who was beautifully gowned in white and wore a crown, and Miss Helen Cainin, queen of flowers, who was dressed in white and wore a veil. She carried a large floral cross and the attendants formed a marching cross. The guardian angel, Miss Catherine Sheehan, had a boy and a girl attendant. The boys who represented doctors, martyrs and confessors, carried rolls of parchment, crosses and palms. In this division also were the Immaculate Conception sodality, Boys' Holy Name society and the Men's Holy Name society.

During the procession hymns to the Blessed Virgin were sung. Several of the residences in the vicinity were decorated and over the entrance to the parochial school was a shrine of the Sacred Heart.

Shrines of the Blessed Virgin were erected at the convent and also in front of the parochial school.

The procession moved down Sixth to Bridge, to Seventh, to Varnum, to Sixth street, to the church. Here occurred the crowning of the statue of the Blessed Virgin.

The May Queen with her attendants placed the crown on the statue, after the queen had been crowned by Lillian McSorley and laid flowers at the base of the statue.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament followed, the celebrant being Rev. Eugene A. Carney, Rev. Francis J. Mullin deacon, Rev. Thomas McLaughlin sub-deacon, Rev. Dennis Murphy, master of ceremonies. Rev. John J. Shaw occupied a seat in the sanctuary. The service closed with the singing of the hymn of praise.

Fr. Murphy was ably assisted in arranging the details of the parade by Sister Moneta, Sister May Alice, Miss Margaret McCluskey, Miss Ella Brown.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

The May procession at the Immaculate Conception church was held last evening after the regular vesper service and throngs of people assembled in the streets surrounding the church and grounds. Vespers was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Sullivan, O. M. I., and Rev. Fitzpatrick, O. M. I., recited the rosary. The procession marched down the aisle of the church and out into the beautiful park in front of the edifice where hymns were sung to the Queen of May. There were about five hundred in line and the little children added immensely to the attractiveness of the occasion. The congregation was so large that many were obliged to remain outside the church while the thousands around the park came from all over the city to witness the impressive exercises. The societies that took part were the Immaculate Conception young ladies, Children of Mary, the sodalities of the Holy Angels and the sanctuary boys. The priests also took part. After the processionists returned to the church there was solemn benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. In the afternoon there was a reception of new members into the sodalities, the new members being obligated by Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., who also had charge of the arrangements for the procession in the evening.

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2 lb. cans Early June Peas	7c
Force, pkg.	10c
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The property will be upon exhibition the Wednesday and Thursday next preceding the day of sale. HANNON & FINTON.

MEMORIAL DAY

The Order of Exercises Arranged

VETERANS TO VISIT CEMETERIES

And Strew the Heroes' Graves With Flowers

Tomorrow will be Decoration day, a day that is sad, yet sweetly sad because it puts new life in our recollection of the dead, the heroes who gave their lives to save the union, or who survived the struggle and lived to see the fruits of their victory.

The exercises arranged for the observance of tomorrow in Lowell are very ordinary and are practically a repetition of the exercises of former years. The formality of a pre-arranged program, however, has but little to do with the real spirit of the day. It is in the cemeteries that the day unveils its meaning, and despite the fact that it is given a tearful welcome it is, nevertheless, a day of great consolation. Beautiful flowers moistened with tears of love spread their fragrance about them, and for the one time in the year the silent city is transformed into a great flower garden with graves as flower beds.

Tiny American flags will wave from the iron markers on the graves of veterans and words eulogizing their memory will re-echo from monument to tombstone and the evening breeze will fan the flowers on the mounds where heroes rest. The day carries with it unexplainable inspiration and its influence is good for the soul of man.

The exercises, sentimental and joyful, will be as follows:

Visits to cemeteries by G. A. R. posts 1 p. m. Post 42 will visit the Lowell cemetery; Post 120 the Gorham street cemeteries; Post 185 the School street cemetery and proceed to the South common via. Westford street, being escorted from the armory by the battalion of militia. Farragut Camp, S. of V., Hildreth cemetery.

After services are concluded at the cemeteries Posts of G. A. R. and Camps of S. of V. will proceed to the South common by the shortest route. Parade and review at 3 p. m.

Ball games—Lowell at Nashua, forenoon; Nashua at Lowell afternoon.

Red men at Cricket grounds.

Highland Council at Westlands grounds.

Roller skating.

Convention at Odd Fellows' hall, 2 p. m.

Banquet to visiting clerks, Odd Fellows' temple, 7 p. m.

Theatres—Huntington-De Deyn company in "When We Were Twenty-one" at the Lowell opera house, matinee and evening.

Mathew Temperance Institute will assemble at its hall at 8.30 a. m. and after a short street parade will march to the Middlesex street station, where at 9.30, they will take a special train for Lynn.

Exercises at High school and other features.

SPECIAL MEETING

Board of Aldermen Will Draw Jurors

The committee on sewers will meet at three o'clock this afternoon and Mayor Casey has ordered a special meeting of the board of aldermen to be held at 4 o'clock for the purpose of drawing jurors.

Mayor Casey, this forenoon, received a communication from the Good Roads association, apprising him of the fact that the association would hold a convention at Portland, Oregon, June 21 to 24, and the association would gladly welcome five representative citizens of Lowell at the convention. The invitation was not liberal to the extent of paying the expenses of the five representative citizens and the association did not state just what would be the nature of the courtesies extended to the five worthy representatives. The mayor expects that he will be flooded with applications from "representative citizens."

SPOTTED FEVER

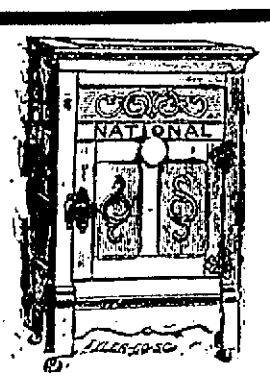
Health Board Hears of New Case

Today for the first time within a week a new case of cerebro-spinal meningitis was reported at the office of the board of health. The case is that of a child named Daley living at 6 rear of 61 Dummer street. The child's first name was not given on the report.

The report of this case came as a blow to the board of health. The board hoped that, so far as cerebro-spinal meningitis was concerned, that it was out of the woods. The appearance of a new case on the second very warm day that we have had is a bit disconcerting, as authorities have given as a concensus of opinion that hot weather would dispel the disease.

No new cases of small-pox have been reported and the patients at the contagious hospital are doing well.

Band Concert at Lakeview Tuesday evening. Lowell Cadet Band.



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AT 3 O'CLOCK.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Alder street, numbering 29-31, on said street. Said parcel consists of a two-tenement house and about 5168 square feet of land; the building contains two tenements of seven rooms each, separate cellars, and closets, good sewerage and rents at the present time for about $240 a year. The lot contains about 5168 square feet of land; with a frontage of about 55 feet on Alder street, and a good yard running i nthe rear with a number of fruit trees; the gardens are all fenced off separately and they are complete tenements set off by themselves. This is a good piece of investment property; the location should warrant your attention if you wish to invest a small amount.

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